

## HITCHCOCK IS BADLY HANDLED

Is Played Without Mercy In The Senate At  
Washington This Morning By Carter.

## WESTERN LAND FRAUDS DISCUSSED

The Senator Brings Out His Points Against Present Man-  
agement In Telling Manner-Is Pitiless  
In His Charges.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—Severe criticism of Secretary Hitchcock was made in the senate today by Senator Carter of Montana. The criticism was based on the order of the secretary of last December, which prohibits the issuance of a patent to land under any of the land laws until after examination on the ground by a special agent. Senator Carter some time ago presented a resolution which denies the right of any executive officer to prevent the granting of a patent when the law under which it is claimed has been carried out.

Mr. Carter began by asserting that the order referred to expressed the final estimate of the secretary as to the truth and veracity, the honor and integrity and the good faith of all settlers on the public domain of the United States. "It likewise arraigns," he added, "all other persons seeking title to public land under existing laws."

"The order is without precedent in the history of the government. It is without parallel in the history of any government, save as to applied to provinces, classes or individuals suspected of treasonable designs. It is the culmination of a policy unwarranted in fact and founded only on baseless suspicion. The public records demonstrate that the order is not only needless but harsh, cruel and oppressive."

"For the last six years sensational reports of evil doings in the public land states have been emanating from the interior department from day to day, so sweeping in their scope as to create the impression in other sections that the entire western population is, and has been engaged in a veritable saturnalia of criminality, piracy, fraud and perjury. The whole broad surface of the public domain since 1901, incursions interviews and boisterous proclamations have passed from the interior department to the public press, reflecting upon all those seeking title to public lands. The words, 'grifters,' 'land grabbers,' 'conspirators,' 'looters of the public domain,' and like terms have become a part of the vernacular of the secretary's office in referring to public land entrymen of all kinds. The routine work of the land service has been pillaged in quest of items for publication, reflecting on individuals and communities. The slightest or regularly, savoring of scandal or possible sensationalism, during and after investigation. Everyone was indicted and no acquittals were ever recorded in these sensational reports. The exploitation of evil reports has been a conspicuous feature of the present secretary's administration."

"Fraud has been constantly and vociferously shouted from the house-tops. Every item or incident colorable by suspicion into sensational appearance has been given wings. Ordinary occurrences have been magnified into the semblance of great events. On the assumption that our settlers are land thieves in the main, the most odious, oppressive and exasperating treatment has been meted out to them in numerous cases for the last five or six years. Residents of the public land states no longer enjoy the presumption of innocence, but rather face the presumption as guilt. They are charged with conspiring to despoil their own states to limit their future possibilities by oppressing themselves and with cheating their government in the interest, in grasping speculators. No exceptions are made by the order of Dec. 18."

"Should some morbid, moral delinquent pay nightly visits to the dens of vice and make morning calls at the police courts in all your splendid eastern cities, and then announce to the world from day to day with loud acclaim that crime and moral leprosy overwhelmed you all, he could, at the pitiable best, play in your field the part the secretary of the interior has played as regards the people of the public land states. Unchecked by contradiction, emboldened by nonresistance from the west, and unmerited applause from other quarters, the secretary finally violated the legal rights and assailed the veracity and integrity of hundreds of thousands of entrymen on the public domain by and through the brief order complained of."

"Excluding the timbered area of the northwest, the people of every locality in the country concerned well know that as to their locality the oft repeated charges of the secretary were unfounded to any justifiable extent; but they supposed, being in possession of the public records, that that official knew of flagrant violations of the law in other sections. If frauds were being perpetrated in the acquisition of public land, the settlers of every locality in the west desired them stopped and the perpetrators punished. As to their several neighborhoods, residents generally knew the charges were wrong, whereas all the people outside of the public land states believed the charges were well founded, and so believing applauded

the secretary as engaged in a righteous crusade against crime. "The fact that every fraudulent transaction complained of was initiated and consummated under the administration of the present secretary was not given publicity. Few have stopped to consider the slender basis of the charges made in discrimination against fifteen millions of people inhabiting 14 states and three territories."

"Notwithstanding the expenditure of an excessive amount of money by the present secretary, the truth remains to be told that the percentage of fraudulent public land entries for the last 8 years, disclosed by investigation to the whole number of entries as obtained during each of the preceding forty years. It remains to be shown by the records that the present secretary has been less efficient during his eight years of service in challenging erroneous, improper or fraudulent land entries than were his four predecessors during the eight preceding years. Even the abuses under the so-called Timber and Stone law, which the secretary might have stopped any day, are shown by the records to have been shamefully exaggerated."

"I fully realize that even the president of the United States has been deceived and alarmed by the current, oft-repeated and uncontradicted reports of the Sec'y. The president has not been able to go through the records and into the details of the interior department and its operations. Burdened with more work than any of his predecessors have undertaken, the President must accept the statements of his subordinates as true. He cannot check and counter-check them all. He has relied on the reports of the secretary of the interior as have the people generally, outside the states to which his accusations apply. The President and all others misled by the crusade of his representation, are clearly free from responsibility, except to hear the truth as told by the government records and then to do justice to an outraged people."

"In the name of justice, in behalf of more than 200,000 entrymen on the public domain, in the name of the families dependent upon them, and of their discredited neighbors, who may be witnesses in their behalf, aggregating substantially two millions of people accused and injured, I ask for a hearing from the senate, from the President and the country, on the cold and silent facts as disclosed by the government records."

Mr. Carter went into an elaborate description of the detailed workings of the homestead and other land laws, and gave court decisions as to their interpretation in harmony with the contention of his resolution. He defended the character of veracity and of other honorable qualities of the (Continued on Page 4.)

## REFUSES OFFER OF THE PANAMA PLACE

Chief Engineer of a Northern Road  
Declines Good Offer from  
Stevens.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Oshkosh, Wis., Jan. 30.—E. P. Priest, chief engineer of the Lake Superior & Southern railway, refused an offer from Engineer Stevens to take a forty-two-hundred-dollar-a-year Panama canal job. D. E. Baxter & Sons of New York begin next week to construct his railway at the Michigan end.

## SMOOT VOTE IS TO COME UP IN SENATE

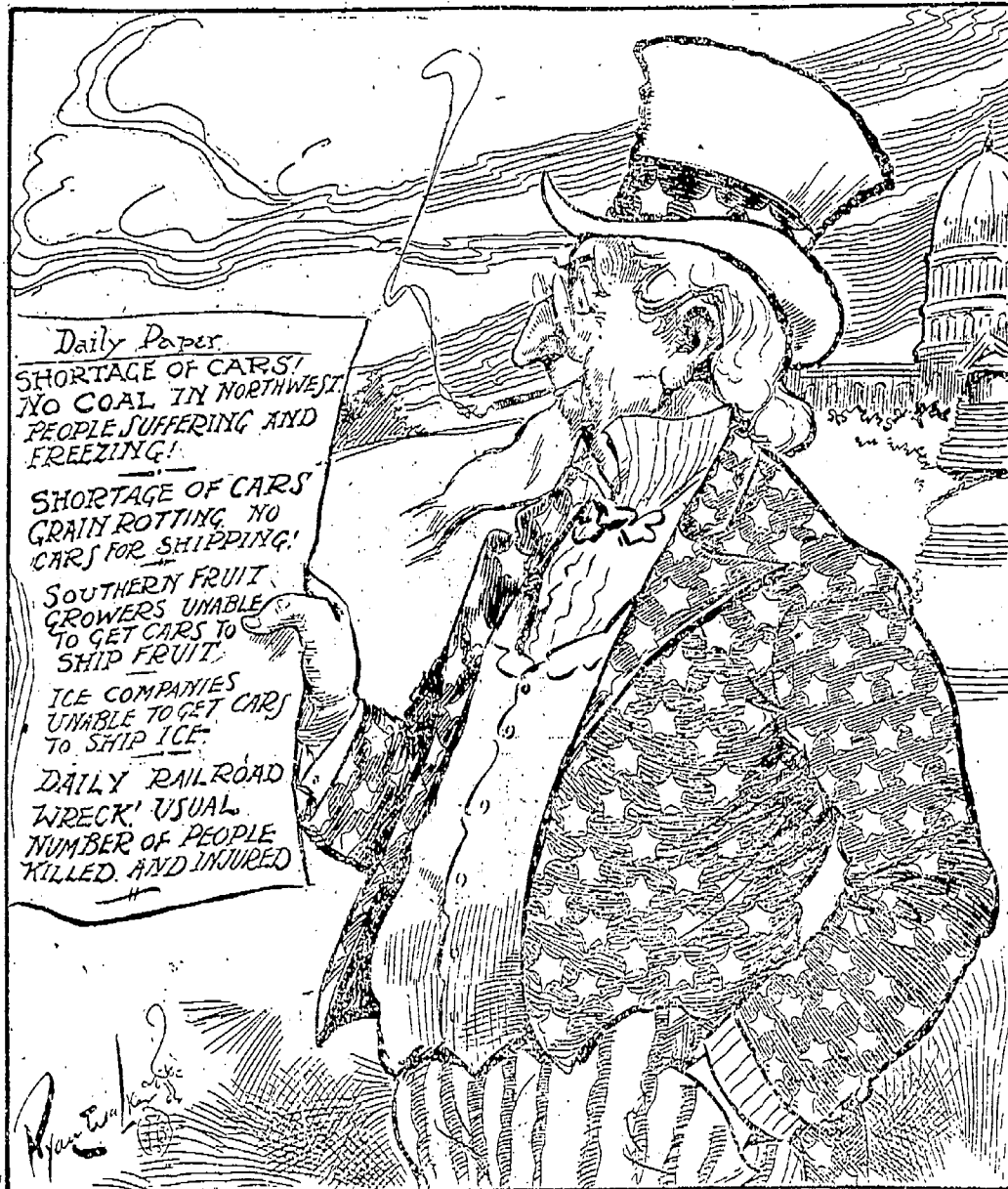
February Twentieth Is the Date Set  
for the Final Test as to  
His Rights.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—The senate has agreed to vote on the resolution declaring Senator Smoot is not entitled to his seat in the senate, at four o'clock Feb. 20. The Indian appropriation bill was reported to the senate today. It carries \$14,500,000, a net increase of \$6,300,000 over the bill passed by the house.

## BIG STONE QUARRY SOLD TO CITY FIRM

Chicago People Take Over the Wau-  
paca Granite and Quarry Com-  
pany at Oshkosh.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Oshkosh, Wis., Jan. 30.—Alton Ripley and N. H. Eaton have sold their interests in the Wauapaca Granite and Quarry company to Chicagoans who are building a railway from Wauapaca to the Scandinavian quarries. Buy it in Janesville.



Uncle Sam—By the Great Horn Spoon! If I owned the railroads and put up that kind of service your Uncle would never hear the end of what a horrible failure Government ownership was.

## AUSTRIAN SEES BY TRANSPLANTED EYE

Grafting of Portion of Optical Organ  
Has Been Successful and Blind-  
ness Is Cured.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Vienna, Jan. 30.—In a Vienna hospital there has just been effected a remarkable surgical cure of total blindness. The surgeon grafted into the eyes of a blind man circular sections of the cornea lobe of an eye removed from a boy. Those grafted in the right eye had subsequently to be taken out, because they caused a painful swelling. Those grafted in the left eye, however, have now been growing for a year, and the man can see perfectly with the aid of ordinary glasses.

## NEW YORK DOCTORS WANT STRICTER LAW

State Medical Society, Now in Session,  
Will Pass in Favor of One Exam-  
ining Board.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Albany, N. Y., Jan. 30.—The New York State Medical Society began its annual meeting in Albany today with an attendance of many prominent physicians and surgeons from all over the state. The medical men are of the opinion that the laws governing the practice of medicine and surgery could in many instances be amended for the better and they purpose to take steps to lay their views before the legislature now in session. Among other things they are in favor of a law consolidating the various examining boards and having one standard of examination to be passed before any one can be admitted to practice medicine or surgery. At present there are three state examining boards, corresponding to the three principal schools of medicine.

## HELD FOR DEATH OF HIS WIFE AND CHILD

Clerk in the Census Office in Wash-  
ington Is in the Clutches  
of the Law.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—William G. Copley, clerk in the census office, is held by the police pending an investigation of the death of his wife and infant child. They were found in bed at midnight last dead. Copley claimed the woman shot the infant and then suicided. The Copleys came here from Walnut, Ia., and have many relatives in Iowa and Illinois.

## OIL ATTORNEYS ON THE PLEA FOR TIME

Ask for Dismissal of the Present In-  
dictments Against Their  
Employers.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Findlay, O., Jan. 30.—Motions to quash the indictments recently found against the Standard Oil company in Ohio and John D. Rockefeller, et al., were filed in the court here today. It was maintained the indictments were indefinite and not made with a sufficient certainty to enable the attorneys for the defense to properly prepare the defense.

## 30 DENOMINATIONS ARE REPRESENTED

Meeting in Pittsburg Formulated  
Plans For Monster Merger of  
Temperance Societies.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 30.—Thirty religious denominations were represented at a meeting held in this city today to confer upon the proposed federation of the temperance boards and committees of the churches of the country. In the proposed federation lines of color or creed will not be considered. Later in the year it is probable that a mass convention will be held in some central city to work out the final plans for the merger. One of the principal objects sought is a uniform effort for temperance legislation at Washington and in the legislatures of the different states.

## PUBLIC HEARING ON 2-CENT FARE BILLS

Minnesota Legislative Committee  
Takes First Steps Toward Es-  
tablishing Lower Rates.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 30.—The first step on the part of the Minnesota legislature to bring the railroads to time in the matter of passenger rates was taken today when the house committee on railroads began a public hearing on the 2-cent fare bills. Four bills have been prepared, but none of them is in just the form that is satisfactory to the committee, and it is probable that an entirely new measure will be drafted and reported as soon as the present hearings are concluded. The railroads mean to put up a stiff fight against the establishment of a 2-cent fare basis, and have prepared statistics to show that with such a reduction the passenger traffic would be conducted at a loss. It is believed, however, that they will be glad to compromise on the basis of 2 1/2 cents. The majority of the house committee favors the 2-cent maximum, but is ready to give the railroads a full hearing before taking any decisive action.

## 18TH ANNIVERSARY OF PRINCE'S DEATH

Rudolph, Heir to Throne of Austria  
Hungaria, Suicided on This Date  
in 1889.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Vienna, Jan. 30.—The eighteenth anniversary of the tragic death of the Crown Prince Rudolph at Mayerling was observed today by masses in the palace chapel and in the Capuchin church, in the vault of which the Prince is entombed side by side with his mother, the Empress Elizabeth, who met an equally tragic death at the hands of an assassin. The Emperor and other members of the imperial family visited the tomb during the day and deposited thereon a number of beautiful wreaths.

Will Refield Surprised: Yesterday was the sixteenth birthday anniversary of Will Refield, and sixteen friends surprised him at his home. Several hours were devoted to games and prizes for a peanut contest were awarded Miss Nora Buggs and Karl Ock. Delicious refreshments were served. Wait ads. bring results.

## THE CHAMPION LADY BARBER DIED YOUNG

Woman Who Shaved Twenty-One Men  
in Less Number of Minutes Has  
Passed Away.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
London, Jan. 30.—The champion lady barber of the world, Miss Nellie Wicks, has just died in London at the early age of 21. Miss Wicks was the daughter of a barber, who taught her the art of shaving when she was quite a little girl. Her title of "champion lady shaver of the world" was won at the Royal Aquarium, where she, then only eight years old, shaved 21 men in less than that number of minutes.

## TWO PROMINENT MEN DIE THIS MORNING

Both Veterans of the Civil War—  
One a Chaplain, the Other  
a Statesman.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 30.—Chaplain Dudley Chase, U. S. A., retired, is dead in this city, aged 91. Rev. Chase was ordained a deacon at Rushville, Ill., in 1842, and a priest at Quincy, Ill., by his father, the late Rev. Dr. Philander Chase, bishop of Illinois a year later.

Major Cushman  
Boston, Mass., Jan. 30.—Major Austin Cushman, organizer and first department commander of the Grand Army of the Republic and private secretary to Millard Fillmore, President of the United States, died of heart disease here last night.

## NINETY-ONE MEN ARE DOWN IN THE MINES

West Virginia Mine Disaster Will Re-  
sult Fatally to Those in  
the Pit.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 30.—It is stated today there are ninety-one men in the Stuart mine in Fayette county, where the explosion of dust occurred yesterday. It is not believed any of the men will be taken out alive.

## EPIDEMIC CONTINUES TO INCREASE DAILY

There Are Nearly Four Thousand  
Cases of the Dread Disease  
in Chicago.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Chicago, Jan. 30.—The epidemic of scarlet fever is increasing, especially on the west side of the city. Three hundred and fourteen new cases were reported to date, making a total of about four thousand. There is slight increase in the cases of diphtheria also.

South Dakota Editors.  
Huron, S. D., Jan. 30.—Many editors and others interested in newspaper making gathered here today at the opening of the regular mid-winter meeting of the South Dakota Press association. The day was spent in welcoming the visitors and arranging the program for the regular sessions to be held this evening and tomorrow. Among the subjects to receive particular attention is the relation of the newspaper to the fight between the local retailer merchants and the big mail order houses.

## BONAPARTE DESIROUS OF HURRYING FIGHT ON OIL

Requests That Method Of Procedure, Used  
To Break Up Northern Securities  
Merger, Be Put In Play.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30.—Counsel for both sides in the government's suit to break up the Standard Oil monopoly appeared in the United States circuit court today to argue the motion of the defendants to set aside the order of service. The defendants contesting the order of service are nonresidents of this judicial district, but were brought into the jurisdiction of the court by a special order, issued by Judge Sanborn, in accordance with the Sherman act, giving the court jurisdiction over nonresi-

dent defendants. The defendants in the suit include the Standard Oil company of New Jersey and nearly all of its subsidiary corporations. If the request of Attorney General Bonaparte prevails, the suit against the Standard Oil company will be hurried to trial without unnecessary delay. The attorney general has requested that the case be given precedence over all other litigation. In making this request he invokes the provision of the Sherman anti-trust law, giving cases brought under it right of way in the courts. The same course of proceeding was followed in the famous Northern Securities case.

## LEGISLATORS GET BUSY IN INTRODUCING NEW BILLS

Fifty-Seven, The Same Number Of Varieties,  
Handed Into The Jumble By  
Senators And Assemblymen.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Madison, Wis., Jan. 30.—Fifty-seven new bills came into the Wisconsin legislature today including the following: By Sen. Owen—To create the office of a deep water way commission with a salary of \$6,000; by Sen. Noble—To allow cities to abolish the common councils and govern themselves by commissions; by Sen. Sanborn—To appropriate \$120,000 for a new wing to the state historical library; by Sen. Froemming—To establish reciprocal demurrage as a relief for the car shortage, charging \$1 a day for delay in loading or unloading cars, and charging the railroads \$1 a day for failure to furnish cars; by Sen. Lockney—Requiring the interurban roads to maintain a suitable depot to accommodate the public; by Sen. Owen—To relieve Secretary of State Frear from the burden of signing state warrants; by Sen. Hagemeister—Giving the state tax commission power to regulate the issue of stocks and bonds by corporations; by Sen. Rummell—Requiring

the corporations to pay employees at least twice a month. In the assembly the following bills were handed in: By Domachowski—Providing a penalty for smoking by people under 18 years of age or for people tolerating such persons to smoke in their places of business; by Fred Petersen, Jr.—To adopt the Massachusetts form of general election ballot, to abolish the "straight ticket" circles; by Weber—Allowing counties to pension blind persons at \$150 a year; by Allbridge—Requiring city and town officers to stand for their offices at special election if 25 per cent of the voters sign such a recall petition; by Aldridge—Waiving the laws against the interference of workmen when unions are on strike or lock-out; by J. F. Baker—Requiring the district attorney to appear against all divorce actions. Assemblyman Fred Ties will hold his seat unless startling discoveries come in ballots remaining to be examined by the assembly committee on elections today. Ties gained two votes in the second ward of Monroe where Ludlow expected to make gains.

## ONLY ONE JUROR MORE IS NEEDED TO COMPLETE LIST

Eleventh Juror In The Thaw Case Is Found  
This Afternoon--New Panel Is  
Ordered.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
New York, Jan. 30.—Harry C. Breatley, an advertising agent, aged 35, and married, was today accepted as the eleventh juror in the Thaw case. Twenty-seven other talesmen were disposed of this morning and a second panel of 100 men is being

exhausted rapidly. Just before the recess was taken orders were sent out to summon 100 more talesmen for tomorrow. Henry Kilenberg, aged 46, a silk merchant, was this afternoon chosen as the eleventh juror in the Thaw case.

## TWO GIRLS ELOPE TO WED IN MENOMINEE

Sisters Leave Their Home In Oconto  
to Marry the Men of  
Their Choice.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Green Bay, Wis., Jan. 30.—Mamie Streckenbach and John Sutton and Emma Streckenbach and Fred Baran of Oconto eloped to Menominee, Michigan, last night and were wedded. The girls are sisters. Sutton is a tailor here and Baran a brakeman.

## LITTLE CIGARS WILL BE UNDER THE LAWS

District Attorney of Milwaukee Be-  
gins Crusade upon the  
Dealers Today.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 30.—The little cigar as a substitute for the cigarette is doomed in Wisconsin. District Attorney McGovern started a crusade here this morning, the first since the anti-cigarette law was passed, and a woman shopkeeper was fined for selling tobacco wrapped as cigarettes to boys. The district attorney refers to the definition of cigarettes, although the law is not specific.

## POWDER EXPLOSION— KILLS FOUR PEOPLE

Johnson City, Illinois, The Scene of a  
Fatal Accident This  
Morning.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Mt. Vernon, Ill., Jan. 30.—A powder explosion occurred at Johnson City, Ill., and four persons killed to-

## BELOIT HIGH SCHOOL IS TO BE ENLARGED

Rufus Barr Fined for Kicking His  
Wife Outdoors--Other Notes from  
the Line City.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]  
Beloit, Wis., Jan. 30.—At a special meeting called last evening to devise ways and means for relieving the overcrowded condition of the schools, the school board decided to recommend that a new addition to the high school building of the same size as the present structure be built at once. Members of the board will visit the schools in several neighboring cities to obtain ideas in construction and appointments. The present enrollment is 360, while the seating capacity of the school is but 285.

Rufus Barr, who pleaded guilty here late yesterday afternoon to the charge of kicking his wife out of doors, was fined \$5 and costs. The case against George Tyrell, arrested on the charge of peeking into the windows of T. D. Woolsey's residence, was dismissed, the warrant for "disorderly conduct" having been sworn out under the wrong statute. Burr Bros. of Rockford, grocery men, will open their branch store in the new Brittan block here on Feb. 15. Lee Burr will be in charge.

## ENGINE EXPLODES ON PENNSYLVANIA ROAD

Engineer Is Killed; and the Fireman  
Is Severely Injured in  
the Accident.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]  
Ft. Wayne, Ind., Jan. 30.—A locomotive pulling a Pennsylvania freight train exploded at Arcola today. W. C. Bender, the engineer, was killed and the fireman and brakeman badly hurt.



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PAST GLORIES OF  
A SAW DUST RING

COLONEL GEORGE WASHINGTON  
 HALL AT HOME NEAR  
 EVANSVILLE.

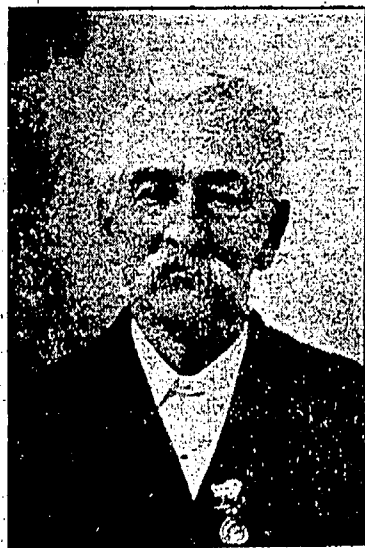
## THE TRIUMPHS REMEMBERED

Began Life Fifty-nine Years Ago as  
 Candy Butcher After Running  
 Away From Home.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
 Evansville, Wisconsin, January 30.—  
 With a capital of ten dollars loaned  
 him by Solon Robinson agricultural  
 editor of the New York Tribune in the  
 early fifties, George Washington Hall,  
 the veteran circus man of Wisconsin,  
 began a life of adventure with more  
 ups and downs than perhaps any other  
 follower of the saw dust arena ever  
 encountered. Now nearing his seven-  
 tieth year, Mr. Hall lives on a little  
 farm near Evansville surrounded by  
 relics of bygone days and a few cages  
 of wild animals, just to remind him  
 that he once delighted in the smell of  
 the circus which was his life for fifty-  
 nine years.

By wagon, by rail, by boat to the  
 West Indies, Cuba and Central Amer-  
 ican states, "Col." Hall has followed  
 the vicissitudes of circus life. He  
 has been wrecked in the West Indies,  
 protected from the fury of mobs in  
 Monterey Mexico by Mexican soldiers  
 and almost caused an international  
 dispute in Guadalupe by knocking the  
 Mayor of the city down in protecting  
 his life and property. He has trav-  
 eled through every state in the union  
 by wagon or rail, except California,  
 Montana and Nevada.

It was back in the fifties that Hall  
 ran away from his home in Manches-  
 ter, N. H. with the old Howe and  
 Cushing circus. Stowed away on top  
 of a wagon he managed to elude the  
 eye of the wagon master and began  
 his career as a follower of the tinsel.  
 He was put to work as a candy but-  
 cher, sold his wares in side and outside  
 the show tents. Then he was given  
 pop corn to dispose of and by this  
 lucky chance came his idea of the pop  
 corn brick and his sobriquet in the



COL. G. W. HALL

circus world of "Pop Corn George."  
 Horace Greeley, then editor of the  
 New York Tribune made some of the  
 pop corn Hall had made into bricks  
 and liked it so well he wrote about  
 it in the Tribune. Some one showed  
 the article to young Hall and he went

## Catarrh of the Stomach

A Pleasant, Simple, But Safe and  
 Effectual Cure for It.

## COSTS NOTHING TO TRY.

Catarrh of the stomach has long  
 been considered the next thing to in-  
 curable. The usual symptoms are  
 a full or bloating sensation after eat-  
 ing, accompanied sometimes with sour  
 or watery risings, a formation of  
 gases, causing pressure on the heart  
 and lungs and difficult breathing,  
 headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness  
 and a general played out, languid  
 feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the  
 mouth, coated tongue and if the in-  
 terior of the stomach could be seen  
 it would show a slimy, inflamed condi-  
 tion.

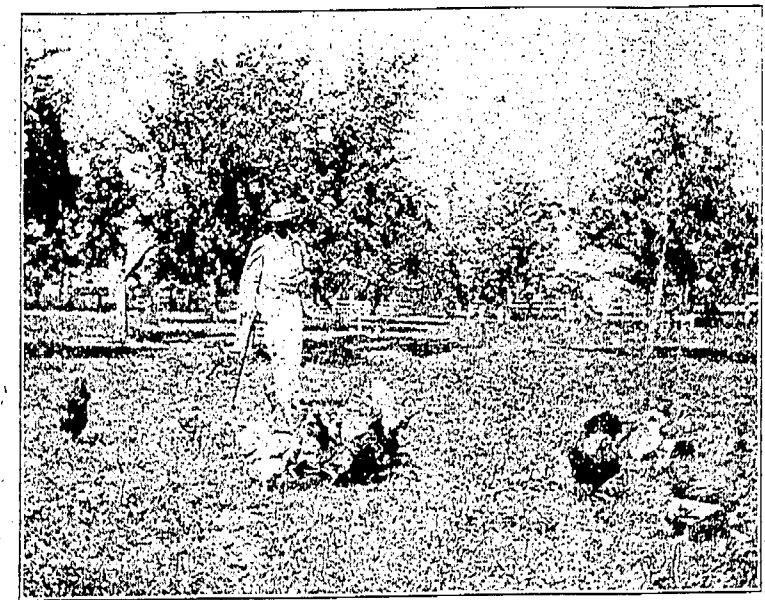
The cure for this common and ob-  
 stinate trouble is found in a treatment  
 which causes the food to be readily,  
 thoroughly digested before it has time  
 to ferment and irritate the delicate  
 mucous surfaces of the stomach. To  
 secure a prompt and healthy diges-  
 tion is the one necessary thing to do  
 and when normal digestion is secured  
 the catarrhal condition will have dis-  
 appeared.

According to Dr. Markham, the safe-  
 est and best treatment is to use after  
 each meal a tablet, composed of Dis-  
 tilled, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux. Gold,  
 on Seal and Fruit acids. These tablets  
 can now be found at all drug stores  
 under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia  
 Tablets and not being a patent medi-  
 cine can be used with perfect safety  
 and assurance that healthy appetite  
 and thorough digestion will follow  
 their regular use after meals.

Mr. R. S. Workman, Chicago, Ill.,  
 writes: "Catarrh is a local condition  
 resulting from a neglected cold in the  
 head, whereby the lining membrane of  
 the nose becomes inflamed and the poi-  
 sonous discharge therefrom passing  
 backward into the throat reaches the  
 stomach, thus producing catarrh of the  
 stomach. Medical authorities prescribe  
 for me for three years for catarrh  
 of stomach without cure, but today I  
 am the happiest of men after using  
 only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia  
 Tablets. I cannot find appropriate  
 words to express my good feeling. I  
 have found flesh, appetite and sound  
 rest from their use."

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the  
 safest preparation as well as the sim-  
 plest and most convenient remedy for  
 any form of indigestion, Catarrh of  
 stomach, biliousness, sour stomach,  
 heartburn and bloating after meals.  
 Send your name and address today  
 for a free trial package and see for  
 yourself. Address P. A. Stuart Co., 55  
 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

to New York to find Greeley and if  
 possible to secure his financial aid  
 in making pop corn bricks for the  
 Tribune public. Greeley was not in the  
 Tribune office when the thirteen year-  
 old boy called but Solon Robinson was  
 and insisting him for the great man  
 Hall told him his story and asked for  
 the loan of ten dollars to start his  
 "factory." Robinson became the back-  
 er of the enterprise and all that  
 winter young Hall made his pop corn  
 bricks in an attic and sold them on  
 the streets of New York. In securing  
 his loan from Mr. Robinson young  
 Hall gave his note in hand for the sum  
 named and agreed to deliver one brick  
 to Mr. Robinson each day for a month.  
 One of Col. Hall's choicest possessions



COL. HALL AT HIS EVA

now is the same note endorsed as paid  
 by Solon Robinson.

During the winter months Hall sold  
 pop corn in New York but when  
 spring came the smell of the circus  
 and the longing for out of doors life  
 took him back to the wandering  
 nomadic life. For many years he  
 worked around circuses during the  
 summer months and in New York  
 winters. These were the days of the  
 travel by wagon and after a hard  
 day's work he would camp up on top of  
 a loaded menagerie wagon for the trip  
 to the next town. Many a time he  
 was forced to climb down during the  
 night and put his shoulder to a wheel  
 stuck fast in the mud of a country  
 road.

The names he conjures with now as  
 his former employers are long ago  
 forgotten by this day and age. Seth  
 and Howe and Cushing, Joe Pendle-  
 ton's Wonderful Menagerie, Jim My-  
 er's European Menagerie, Sleat and  
 Shoppard, Dan Rice, the funniest  
 clown that ever lived, Bullard and  
 Bailey and Richard Saut's Great Ag-  
 gregation of Wonders of the World  
 were among the men he worked for.

Hall belonged to the days when the  
 shows consisted of one ring and this  
 ring lighted at night by candles stuck  
 in the cups and placed in front of re-  
 flectors about the ringside. Days when  
 the circuses and menageries travelled as  
 separate enterprises, the difference  
 being that the circuses carried seats for  
 the audience, the menagerie did not  
 but had a professor who explained the  
 animals and a few trained horses that  
 always began the show with the fa-  
 mous January act.

According to Col. Hall, Adam Fore-  
 paugh, the Philadelphia butcher who  
 became a showman, was the first to  
 combine the menagerie and the cir-  
 cus. Orin and Oliver, Portage, Wis.,  
 showmen, put on the first circus con-  
 cert and Földen and Rogers tried the  
 first real railway show. While the  
 latter firm made a failure of the at-  
 tempt it set the other circus men  
 thinking and paved the way for the  
 present long trains that jump the  
 shows hundreds of miles between per-  
 formances.

In 1886 Col. Hall had his own show  
 in Monterey, Mexico, when a revolu-  
 tion broke out. Fearing his property  
 would be destroyed Col. Hall appealed  
 to President Diaz, then a general in  
 the Mexican army, for protection and  
 a thousand Mexican soldiers were de-



GEORGE W. HALL AND A FAVORITE OF HIS

tailed to save his life and property.  
 A year before he had almost caused  
 an international dispute in Guadalupe  
 by knocking the mayor of the munic-  
 ipality down in protecting his prop-  
 erty. Hall was arrested, thrown into prison  
 and his show dismantled. Aided by  
 the American consul he reached the  
 United States. It was in Mexico that  
 Col. Hall and his pop corn bricks  
 made their greatest hit. Ladies used  
 to drive up to his tents for the fragrant  
 bricks, paying fifteen cents for  
 pop corn that he had carried months  
 in his wagons not being able to re-  
 plenish his stock.

Each winter Hall would take his  
 shows to the West Indies when cold  
 weather approached, going as far  
 south as the Central American repub-  
 lics and then back through Mexico to  
 the United States when spring came.  
 One of his former partners, M. Cas-  
 tra, was a victim of the St. Pierre disaster  
 several years ago. In 1886 he was in  
 Galveston, Texas, when that city was  
 nearly destroyed by fire and during  
 the awful night when the fire raged  
 he was forced to move his shows six  
 times to preserve them.

But now the Colonel's trouping days

are over. He stays at his home in  
 Janesville, paying occasional visits to  
 Evansville. His wife and daughter  
 Mable, Hall are with the Margrave  
 show, exhibiting Columbus, the lar-  
 gest elephant now alive and a cage of  
 savage leopards. A son, George Hall,  
 is an acrobat of note and another  
 daughter is a snake charmer at pres-  
 ent in Cuba.

His farm is a model one. His tobacco  
 sheds among the largest in the  
 country and his tobacco fields all  
 drained by the lifting system put down  
 years ago when tilling was unknown in  
 this part of the country. In one shed  
 are some old chariots, devoid of gilt  
 and paint, a ticket wagon or two,  
 a few cages minus all decorations and

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 ent in Cuba.

## NSVILLE HOME

a few animals that he keeps in re-  
 serve for his wives' leopard cage, and  
 to remind him of days that are past.  
 His one pet is a tiny pony, so small  
 that the Colonel can carry it and it  
 follows him about like a dog all day.  
 At night it sleeps in a box behind the  
 stove.

Mrs. Austin's Famous Pancakes.  
 Really delicious.

MRS. A. P. BURNHAM WAS  
 HOSTESS TO SEVENTY-FIVE

Ladies at a Five O'Clock Tea Given  
 at the Home on St. Lawrence  
 Avenue Yesterday.

Mrs. A. P. Burnham entertained a  
 company of seventy-five ladies at an  
 elaborate five o'clock tea yesterday  
 afternoon. The home on St. Lawrence  
 avenue was beautifully decorated with  
 roses and carnations. After the con-  
 clusion of the repast several hours  
 were devoted to culture and the first  
 prize was won by Miss E. Louise Wil-  
 liams; the consolation trophy by Mrs.  
 E. B. Heimstreet. Mrs. Burnham is  
 to entertain at another tea tomorrow  
 evening.

Mrs. Austin's Famous Pancakes.  
 Really delicious.

DEATH OF CHARLES  
STILL REMEMBERED

Anniversary of English King's Execu-  
 tion at Command of Oliver  
 Cromwell.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.)  
 London, Jan. 30.—Today was the  
 258th anniversary of the execution of  
 Charles I. and in accordance with  
 their usual custom the several branches  
 of the Legationist societies in  
 London placed wreaths around the  
 equestrian statue of King Charles in  
 Trafalgar Square, and scores of people  
 stopped to read the inscriptions. In  
 all more than a score of wreaths were  
 hung around the base of the monu-  
 ment, among them being tributes  
 from the Jacobite societies in various  
 parts of the United Kingdom. The  
 predominating colors were red and  
 white. Though more than two and a  
 half centuries have elapsed since the  
 lamentable event took place that made



GEORGE W. HALL AND A FAVORITE OF HIS

a martyr of the unfortunate monarch  
 the mystery of the masked man who  
 performed the beheading remains as  
 much of a mystery as ever. Lilly, the  
 living astrologer, denounced Cornet  
 Joyce at the Restoration, but Joyce  
 on the fatal thirtieth of January was  
 not in favor with Cromwell. The  
 parish register of Whitechapel records  
 the burial there in 1649 of Richard  
 Brandon, the common hangman, and  
 opposite the entry a contemporary  
 hand wrote that "he cut off the head  
 of Charles the First." Brandon him-  
 self asserted that "they made him  
 do it for thirty pounds," with which  
 he drank himself to death. "That part  
 of his statement relating to his death  
 is undoubtedly true, but no conclusive  
 evidence has yet come to hand to show  
 that he was the masked man who be-  
 headed Charles I."

DeLong Reviewed Yachting: Last  
 Sunday's Chicago Tribune contained,  
 under the signature of John G. De-  
 Long, a former Janesville young man,  
 a lengthy review of the 1906 inland  
 yachting season on the inland waters.  
 Read the want ads.

ANSWER TO BOARD  
IS VERY SEVERE

SUPT. CHARLES H. HEMINGWAY  
 QUOTES THE LAW.

## TAKES DECIDED EXCEPTION

Gives His Side of the Controversy  
 Which Kept the Board Busy for  
 Several Days.

To the Editor: Owing to the utterly  
 false account of what the county  
 superintendents' reports, that were  
 read before the county board at its  
 last session, contained, many persons  
 have been led to believe that these  
 reports were unfit to be read. While  
 the writer is loath to "lick" at the  
 unheeded action of the county board,  
 yet perhaps a word of explanation  
 may clear up a few of the erroneous  
 ideas so generously put in circulation  
 by the Gazette. I am informed by a  
 representative of the Gazette that he  
 was not present at the time the  
 report was read, but that he was in-  
 formed by members of the county  
 board that the superintendents' re-  
 ports stated that some of the farmers  
 took better care of their hogs than  
 they did of their children. This state-  
 ment as published was wholly false.  
 The only paragraph in the writer's  
 report which dealt with the condition  
 of school buildings was as follows:

"\$246.65—nearly \$200 less than  
 last year—was expended for repairs.  
 Greater expenditures should be made  
 if Rock county is not to become no-  
 torious for its bad school houses.  
 State Rural School Inspector Wood,  
 after visiting schools in this county,  
 stated that he had visited schools in  
 more than thirty counties, and from  
 Lake Superior to the Illinois line, but  
 that the worst two he had seen were  
 in Rock county and not four miles  
 from the city of Janesville. As a  
 matter of further information, I might  
 add that one is in each superintend-  
 ent district, while the worse of the  
 two is in the second district. At present  
 school is not being held in the one  
 in the first district but was up to  
 the beginning of the year. How  
 long is Rock county—the second high-  
 est county in the state—to have such  
 a record?"

It will be remembered that this is  
 merely a resume of what was pub-  
 lished in the Gazette in one of its  
 issues in October as a result of an  
 interview with the state rural school  
 inspector. Why was not the Gazette  
 suppressed?

This applied to two school houses  
 in Rock county. Nothing was said  
 as to the others, presumably because  
 they are in fair or better condition.  
 Thus it appears it would take a fair  
 stretch of the imagination to make  
 the above statement say "The farm-  
 ers' hogpens are better than their  
 school houses." The rest of the re-  
 port was devoted to commendation  
 of the work done in the last term  
 of the county and of the teachers in  
 their schools, a plea for more read-  
 ing matter, more dictionaries, a longer  
 school year, more care in the hiring  
 and the retaining of satisfactory  
 teachers, free text books, and an ap-  
 propriation for diploma examinations.  
 These together with an abstract of  
 two papers presented at the last  
 school board convention on teachers'  
 wages and the relative amount of  
 taxes for support of schools levied in  
 cities and in the country constituted  
 the report which the county board has  
 seen fit to brand as unfit to be read  
 and to order suppressed. Why?

The county board and the county  
 superintendent are both creatures of  
 the legislature—they are independ-  
 ent county officers and neither has  
 any control over the other. The su-  
 perintendent is not an employee of  
 the board. The county board has no pow-  
 er in regard to schools. They can  
 act on no recommendations made by  
 superintendent. Then why should he  
 make a report to them? Like the re-  
 ports of other county officers, it was  
 expected that it would find a place in  
 the records of that body and thus be  
 available to the citizen who wished  
 to know something of the schools.  
 This purpose appears to have been  
 thwarted by the county board.

What should be the character of  
 the report? Sec. 461 R. S. says: "It  
 shall be the duty of every county su-  
 perintendent to report annually to  
 the board of supervisors of his county  
 the condition of the schools under his  
 supervision." It is his duty to report  
 conditions. That the writer inter-  
 prets to mean the things that are sat-  
 isfactory, and those that are not, and  
 to suggest how conditions may be bet-  
 tered. The county board interprets  
 that section as follows: "It shall be  
 the duty of every county superintend-  
 ent to annually make to the county  
 board of supervisors of his county a  
 report which shall be satisfactory  
 and pleasing to them." The public  
 may judge as to which interpretation  
 is correct.

The county board's action is an at-  
 tempt to dictate what an other coun-  
 ty officer shall say, by saying: "If  
 you do not say what we wish you to  
 say, we will refuse to publish it, brand  
 it as unfit and keep it from the peo-  
 ple for whom it is intended." One  
 might almost think the board had ex-  
 ceeded its authority. The statute com-  
 mands the superintendent to make  
 this report and the county board (in-  
 ferentially) to receive it. The county  
 board is nowhere given the power to  
 edit the report. "It is not what it  
 should be it is a matter for the peo-  
 ple and not for the county board."

To have published the report in the  
 regular proceedings would have cost  
 less than \$5 for each superintendent  
 district. To have published it in pam-  
 phlet form with the additional data  
 which the educational committee  
 thought might be incorporated with  
 it and thus aid in awakening greater  
 educational interest would have cost  
 but a few dollars (limited however to \$50  
 for each superintendent).

The discussion took up a good share  
 of a day of the supervisors' valua-  
 ble time which costs the county \$125,  
 but those who opposed the publishing  
 insisted that there was some great  
 principle at stake. Let us hope it  
 was vindicated.

C. H. HEMINGWAY.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.  
 PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure  
 any case of itching, blind, bleeding or  
 prostrated piles in 6 to 14 days or money  
 refunded. 50c.

GOING AMONG ALPS  
TO BUY RARE BULBS

John Downs Has Excellent Position  
 With Chicago Seed Concern—  
 Leaves Soon

John Downs, who until a few months  
 ago was a resident of Janesville, will  
 leave soon for Switzerland, where he  
 will search for and buy rare bulbs for  
 a Chicago seed house. He recently  
 entered that concern's employ and his  
 training in his brother's green house  
 here proved of value, he being con-  
 sidered an expert judge of bulbs. He  
 recently wrote local relatives of his  
 projected foreign trip and said he  
 would visit here a few days before  
 departing. They expect that he will  
 probably be in the city over Sunday.

BURLINGTON IS TO  
PLAY HERE FRIDAY

Basketball Game at Local High School  
 Gymnasium—Contests at Y. M.

C. A. Tonight.  
 Coach-Manager E. J. Haumerson of  
 the high school basketball team has  
 arranged for a game to be played  
 here Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock.  
 The visiting players will be the Bur-  
 lington, Wis., high school five. The  
 contest will take place in the school  
 gymnasium and as a preliminary event  
 the second team will meet another  
 local aggregation.

Crescents Versus Seconds.  
 Prior to the game which will be  
 played in the Janesville Y. M. C. A.  
 this evening between the local and  
 Rockford Association fives, the Cres-  
 cents and the second team of the "Y."  
 will meet.

## LINK AND FIN

St. Paul Road.

Locomotive number 126 was wrecked  
 in an accident at Davis Junction  
 early Monday morning. While it was  
 standing on a switch another engine,  
 coming down one of the tracks back-  
 ed into it, sideswiping both engine  
 and tender. Engineer James Kober  
 and Fireman Brummon both jumped  
 and escaped unscathed.

Several changes have been made  
 during the last few days in the per-  
 sonal of the roundhouse force. Harry  
 Miss, William Zabel and Thomas  
 Rock are no longer in the employ of  
 the company and Percy Hallett, John  
 Tompkins, Fred Edwards and J. Goess-  
 sell have been added to the force.  
 Edwards is pulling fires nights, Hal-  
 lett wiping cabs and jackets and Tem-  
 pleton and Goessell are wiping.

General Foreman J. C. Fox was in  
 Mineral Point yesterday.

Fireman Russell Prince is on switch-  
 engine number 1072 days.  
 Locomotives 1353, 703 and 355 are in  
 the house for repairs.

Fireman Ernest Zellman was on  
 switchengine number 1069 yesterday.  
 Charles Nielson dispatched engines  
 last night.

William Tobin is working in the  
 sand house.

Boiler Maker Robert Young was in  
 Mineral Point Monday night.

After a three months' leave of ab-  
 sence Engineer Cornelius Harrison re-  
 turned to work yesterday very much  
 improved in health. He is on his old  
 runs, 7 and 8, Janesville-Mineral Point  
 passenger.

Charles Shuler is in Beloit relieving  
 Engineer Handler Patrick Barrett, who  
 is ill.

Locomotive number 1622 broke down  
 at Bardwell yesterday morning and  
 after being brought here for repairs  
 went to Chicago last night on a stock  
 train.

Engineer Boltz is on the sick list.

Northwestern Road.  
 Conductor Joseph McDonald has re-  
 tired from the service of the North-  
 western road and entered the employ  
 of the Illinois, Iowa & Minnesota, tak-  
 ing a position as trainmaster.

Locomotive number 456 is relieving  
 number 292 on runs 582 and 589.

Conductor Richardson took train  
 550 to Chicago this morning.

Train 504 being late off the Minne-  
 sota division yesterday afternoon a se-  
 cond section was run ahead of the first  
 from Elroy to Chicago, thus accom-  
 modating local traffic. Conductor Sage  
 was in charge of the train from here  
 to Chicago.

Brakeman Carl Mabie went to Har-  
 vard this morning to assume duties  
 on runs 572 and 591, the Chicago milk  
 special.



WANT ADS. ARE OFTEN THE PRODUCT OF "THE TROUBLE MILLS"—HAVING THEIR ORIGIN IN SOME OF THE INVOLVEMENTS AND INCIDENTS OF LIFE. IF YOU ARE CAREFUL THAT YOUR OWN PERSONAL TROUBLE-MILLS GRIND OUT WANT ADS. NOW AND THEN THE MILLS WILL GROW LESS AND LESS BOTHERSOME TO YOU.

A MONK ONCE WROTE THAT "THERE IS NO ACTION OF MAN IN THIS LIFE WHICH IS NOT THE BEGINNING OF SO LONG A CHAIN OF CONSEQUENCES THAT NO HUMAN MIND MAY FORE-SEE THE END." THIS IS TRUE ESPECIALLY OF WANT ADVERTISING. A FEW LINES OF TYPE LEAD TO BUSINESS AND SOCIAL ACQUAINTANCESHIPS THAT LAST THROUGH LIFE.

"TO CLIMB STEEP HILLS REQUIRES SLOW PAGE AT FIRST," AND IN THE BUSINESS WORLD THE SMALL TRADESMAN MAY BEGIN THE ASCENT OF THE HILL OF PUBLICITY BY USING THE CL ASSIFIED COLUMNS.

## WANT ADS.

### WANTED.

**BOARDING**—At Mrs. T. Skelly's, 111 S. Main street, at reasonable rates. Three blocks from W. Milwaukee St.

**WANTED**—A tenant of means for a stock farm of 100 acres, near city. For particulars inquire of S. D. Grubb, at clothing store.

**WANTED**—Some one to board good driving horse for use of same. Inquire at 254 South River St.

**WANTED**—Men to learn barber trade. Few weeks complete. Money earned while learning. Tools given. Beautiful 1907 catalogue just out. mailed free. Write Motor Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

**WANTED**—Girl for trimming cigar boxes. Thoroughgood & Co.

**WANTED**—For U. S. Army—Able bodied unmarried men between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of United States; of good character and temperance habits; who can speak, read and write English. Information apply at Empire Hotel, Janesville, or 90 Mason St., Milwaukee, Wis.

**WANTED**—Two girls over fourteen years of age, to feed hogs. Hough Shinde Corporation.

**WANTED**—A kitchen girl, New Myers Hotel.

**WANTED**—Hotel cook, housekeeper, girls for hotels and private houses, Mrs. E. McCarthy, 276 W. Milwaukee street, Both phones.

**WANTED**—Boards at No. 2 Holmes St., 222

**WANTED**—Two girls over fourteen years of age, to feed hogs. Hough Shinde Corporation.

**WANTED**—Large first-class house of twenty-five years standing, manufacturing a staple line of goods in best dairy use, wants a man to manage branch wholesale business. Salary \$1,500 per year, payable monthly, together with all expenses and extra commissions. Address Milwaukee, Wis. For particulars and \$1,000 cash which is satisfactorily secured, Address President C. S. 2nd St., St. Louis, Mo.

**LADIES**—Bring your combings and have it switched into the latest styles during dull season. Mrs. S. S. Jackson, St.

**WANTED**—Young lady bookkeeper. Must be a good penman, accurate, quick at figures and of good address. Address A. B. C. Gazette, 23 S. Main St.

**WANTED**—By telegraph student—A place to work for board, Address F. E. Meacham, 23 S. Main St.

**WANTED**—Good live solicitor at once. Call at Myers Hotel.

### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT**—Feb. 1st—Modern steam heated house in North side, W. Milwaukee St. Apply to F. L. Stevens, Lovejoy Block.

**FOR RENT**—House No. 9 Oakland avenue, Inquire of J. T. De Forest, new phone 373.

**FOR RENT**—Nicely furnished room, No. 5 S. 11th St.

**FOR RENT**—A 7-room brick house with large garden. Rent \$10 per month. Inquire at 272 S. Main street.

### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—Forty-acre farm known as the O. S. Decker farm; good improvements; fine farm for tobacco and sugar beets. Inquire of J. A. Decker, Milton avenue.

**THOSE** daily paper "nut dishes and fancy" doilies for parties and table decorations, 15 to 25c, per dozen. Allice Rozek's. Both phones.

**FOR SALE**—Old newspapers put up in bundles; five cents per bundle at Gazette office.

**HE WHO** brings Buyer and Seller together in honest trade, does good to both. We are here to look after your interests as well as our own. We buy, sell, rent and exchange. Farms or city property; any kind of business or merchandise. Make loans, write general insurance. A few of our positions:

104 acres 100 ft. hills..... \$175  
40 acres six miles from city..... 3000  
80 acres 2 1/2 miles from city..... 7000  
150 acres 2 1/2 miles from city..... 15000  
A modern house close in..... 3100  
Two small houses, one lot..... 1000  
A good flat building for sale bringing \$5 per acre on the investment, not above expense.

Call, write or phone J. H. BURNS, No. 2 Central Block, Janesville, Wis. Rock c. phone 240; Wis. phone 4788.

**FOR SALE**—A good square place in excellent location. Low price. Inquire at 255 South Main St.

**FOR SALE**—A fresh milk cow. Inquire at 314 Prairie avenue.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**F. B. WILSON**, farm and live stock auctioneer, Milton, Wis. Phone 500-2 at the farm.

**TRY** a hot cocoa at Holmstrom's; it's splendid.

**LOST**—100 feet 3/4 Manila rope, Tuesday, on 1st St. First street near Union. Reward to finder. Leave at Gardner's blacksmith shop.

**HEIMSTREET** has ice cold soda water and ice cream sundaes, every day.

**IF YOU** are looking for good investments, buy a good house, lot or farm. I have them; also some choice timber lands. I have a large list of property to select from and can please you in price or location. Money to loan at five per cent on good security. For Rent: Several good houses well located. Also good modern flat. For particulars call or phone Jas. W. Scott, Real Estate Loan & Fire Ins., 21 West Milwaukee St., Phoneus Block. Both phones.

**LOST** on N. Main or S. Jackson Sts.—A belt with buckle marked "C". Please return to Empire Hotel.

**THAT** hot Swiss milk chocolate at Holmstrom's drug store is splendid, and only five cents.

**LOST**—A ladies' gold watch with pin. "Sophia" engraved on outside of case. Finder kindly leave at Gazette office. Reward.

**WANTED TO LOAN** on real estate security. M. F. L. Clemens, 164 West Milwaukee St.

**AN** income for the family—Dividends that will please you. Illustrated report with forty photos free. Address International Lumber Philco Trust Co. (Milton) 1001; Drexel Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.



Hoke Smith

Hoke Smith, the new governor of Georgia, was born in Newton township, Catawba county, N. C., on September 2, 1855. His father was Dr. H. H. Smith, president at that time of Catawba College. At 10 years of age Hoke Smith went to Atlanta, Ga. He stayed there six months, studying law, and then went to live at Waynesboro, Burke county, Ga. When 22 years of age he stumped Georgia, representing the city of Atlanta, which was trying to become the state capital. He was then a member of the law firm of Collier & Myatt. In 1883 he managed Grover Cleveland's campaign in Georgia, and President Cleveland appointed him secretary of the interior in March, 1892. He resigned in September, 1896. In 1900 he sold his interest in the Atlanta Journal for \$150,000. He now heads the law firm of Smith, Berner, Smith & Hastings.

## ..Forty Years Ago..

Janesville Daily Gazette, Wednesday, January 30, 1907.—Complaint for Drawing a Pistol.—Complaint was made before Justice Hudson today by Mr. Baker of the Young America Clothing House, against a man named Kemmerer, for drawing a pistol on him in his store. We did not learn the particulars of the case.

Young Men's Association.—The Lecture, Tonight.—In order that the congregations of the different churches may be free to attend the lecture by Rev. C. L. Thompson this evening the usual time of meeting has been changed to half-past six. The services close at half-past seven. As the lecture commences at eight there will be ample time to come from the churches to the hall.

Items in Brief.—Last night was one of Arctic temperature, and today has not been much warmer. As we go to press it is snowing briskly.—If you do not wish to hear the fire bells ring out the alarms these cold nights, see to it that everything about your own dwelling is secure.—Business already begins the impulse given it by the excellent sleighing, although it will be better as soon as the weather moderates sufficiently to allow people to come to the city without being frozen.

### Accident

One of our workmen had the misfortune to "bl" the first page of the Gazette this evening and we are forced to go to press with whatever old matter we can get together. He was putting it into the press when the accident occurred and the whole matter is now a business of wildcat chaos, instead of being spread out in an inviting form upon the paper. As much as the reader will be annoyed by the misfortune it is tenfold more of a disappointment to us.

## Before The Footlights.

In commenting upon the performance of Miss Florence Gale, the beautiful and talented American actress, as Kathryn in her elaborate scenic production of "Taming the Shrew," the Saginaw Courier-Herald has the following to offer: "Her interpretation showed extreme care in the reading of her lines, and she has not forgotten the infusion of that buoyant, roguish note which her auditors like. The delicacy of it all, the filling in of those silent and subtle moments which are left to the invention of the actress, when words are gone and all is made—or unmade—by the subtle delicacy of the action, denoted Miss Gale to be a real artist—one who has virtually grown and is absorbed in the part."

Miss Gale and her excellent supporting company in this delightful Shakespearean masterpiece is the welcome announcement for one performance only at the Myers theatre on Monday, Feb. 4. Scenically the production is elaborate in every detail, almost extravagantly so, and "Taming of the Shrew," so equipped, should prove to be the entertainment so much looked for by local theatre-goers. "Nance Oldfield," the famous comedy, is the curtain raiser.

The new "Eight Bells," the successful comedy which the Bros. Byrne are responsible for, will be presented at the Myers theatre Saturday, Feb. 2, matinee and evening. This Byrne production shows great improvement over its predecessors in this line. The sensational features being much stronger in every way. One can hardly appreciate the extent of this comedy until they witness it, then the conviction will come that no more seemingly funny performance was ever devised. It is not to the lines of the play but to the wonderful mechanical and scenic effects and the clever gymnastic work of the brothers who continue the life of the performance, aided by a well balanced company, is attributed. From the rise of the first to the fall of the last curtain everybody is working and working hard. It is so from beginning to end, and so humorous are some of the situations that the audience shows a disposition to resent the excellence of the performance, for laughing towards the close suggests the explosive sounds from tired lungs and throats.

### EAST CENTER

East Center, Jan. 29.—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Wiggins last Tuesday evening about thirty friends and relatives surprised their son Arthur and bride. The guests came with well-laden baskets and a most enjoyable time was had by all present. Towards the close of the evening a handsome rocker was presented the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wiggins will move on the home street in the spring and Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Wiggins will move to Oxfordville.

Mrs. Mary and Margie Lyons entertained friends last Tuesday evening. Cards and music furnished the

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evening's entertainment, and at midnight a sumptuous supper was served. The Misses Lyons are fine entertainers, and a good time is always in store for anyone who goes there.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Brown entertained at a six o'clock dinner Thursday evening in honor of guests from Dakota and Footville.

Miss Nellie Gibson of Broadhead is the guest of her cousins, Helen and Marion Popple.

Frank Brown has so far recovered as to be able to be out once more. Louis Roberts sold his tobacco trash to John Lyons; consideration, three cents.

Seth Crall butchered a beef Monday.

Mrs. Jennie Crall and Mrs. Avis Brown visited with Mrs. Fred Damerow last Thursday.

Miss Frances Crall has been confined to the house the last week with a severe cold and an attack of croup. Miss Marion Popple will go to Broadhead Tuesday to stay the rest of the week with her cousin, Miss Nellie Gibson.

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Chicago, Jan. 29, 1907

Wheat	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2

Wheat	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2

Wheat	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2

Wheat	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2

**LIVE STOCK MARKET**  
Today. Contract. Est. Tomorrow

Corn	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
131	131	131	131	131	131	131	131	131	131	131	131	131

Chicago	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00

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Cattle	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.
13000	13000	13000	13000	13000	13000	13000	13000	13000	13000	13000	13000	13000	13000

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### WISCONSIN WEATHER FORECAST

Fair and continued cold tonight, Thursday fair except snow in northern portion, warmer.

### THOSE LOCAL EARTHQUAKES

There is a flourishing crop of local earthquakes this winter, another tribute to the imitative trait in nature. Since the Jamaica calamity distinct shocks have been reported from New Jersey, New England, upper New York state and the middle west, localities which, between more titanic than an automobile crash, says the New York Tribune.

There is a burglary in a community. Straightway for nine succeeding nights every housewife in the neighborhood awakes at 2 a. m. to hear retreating footsteps in her pantry. As with individuals so with communities. Let a mountain in extreme South America blow off its head and every china closet in New England trembles; then, on second thought, a few days later trembles again.

Next to the china closet, the most delicate seismograph is the combination of a cracker barrel and the spine of a village gentleman of leisure. Three or more of these combinations cut into the same circuit in a corner grocery store and, connected up with a red hot stove, form a battery that can detect with infallible exactness the slightest jar in the earth's crust. True, the records of these vibrations are seldom read in their true import till after the daily papers arrive the next morning, but they are all the more vivid and unquestionable for having been preserved overnight in some of Bill Smith's best applejack.

And now the secondary shocks are arriving and the village correspondents are kept busy. The dispatches from Hoboken, et cetera, usually close with: "At first it was believed that the tremor was due to heavy blasting, but reports from several sections in the surrounding country show that the shocks were those of an earthquake."

Back of such severely scientific logic as that no more geologist need pry.

### SALARIES OF CONGRESSMEN

The question of raising the salaries of members of congress has now had its innings in both the senate and the house of representatives. The behavior of different members toward this proposal is amusing and instructive, but in general there are two classes in the alignment. The wisdom of increasing salaries has generally been conceded, but there the agreement seems to have ended. A considerable number of both houses were afraid of taking action in view of the penalty that was visited many years ago upon members of congress who participated in a back salary grab. The other portion frankly recognized the difficulties of maintaining the standard of congressional service on existing salaries.

The facts, however, are that the present proposal relates only to future salaries. Men of the average ability of those who go to congress can usually make much more of an income in private pursuits than congressional salary yields them. Furthermore, there is an increasing tendency to insist that senators especially should devote themselves to their senatorial duties, and not a few members of the house are so occupied with their public duties even during vacation as to give them little opportunity to increase their incomes in other directions. On the whole, those who take the straightforward view that salaries ought to be raised have taken the correct view, and are to be commended.

The retirement of Chairman Shonts from the Isthmian Canal commission is another instance of the difficulty which the public service has in competing with opportunities for private gain. Men of the best standing may be willing to enter the public service but cannot be held long on account of the great sacrifices which they have to make, as measured by the difference between the compensation in public and in private occupations. The rewards of professional and business life are so much greater now than formerly that the whole schedule of payment for public service, in its high functions, might well undergo a leveling upward with advantage to the service as a whole. While it is true that the men to whom public office appeals would gladly do much for honor's sake, yet they cannot be expected to be held by underpaid salaries to that continuity of service which is becoming more and more desirable in higher public positions.

What have the democrats to do with the selection of the republican candidates for city offices anyway? Where do they come in on the local political question? Still, it is said

that leading democrats are taking a hand in suggesting republican candidates. What?

Money appropriated by the state legislature for the agricultural department of the University will be money well spent for the general betterment of the farming classes of the state.

Death comes when it is least expected and more often leaves the bereaved ones in dire need. Each man should live his life with an eye to the future, the future when the loved ones may need his strong arm to protect and care for them.

The icemen rejoice in the weather, the small boy can glory in his rubber boots and new sled, and Dr. Winter has done much to alleviate the possibility of disease by covering old Mother Earth with a blanket of white snow.

Congress is listening to arguments today relative to the usurpation of power by the President. This has been a question that bothered the Senate since the times of the elder John Adams and the revolt of Aaron Burr.

There will be no lack of candidates for the Mayoralty fight in the field this year and the only thing that should be remembered is that the best ones should be selected by both parties.

Load after load of tobacco passes through our streets to be sorted and shipped to the east, where it brings fancy prices. Janesville is recognized as one of the leading markets of the state.

Miss Fola La Pollette, the pretty, petite daughter of the junior senator, is to marry her father's former confidential secretary, avowing man of sterling worth and character.

It is not a question of whether we have good roads or not, but whether the citizens want good roads to induce traffic to come towards Janesville instead of some other town.

Few carnations were to be seen on the streets yesterday, but at the state school for the blind twenty-seven of the boys wore them out of respect to the martyred President.

There is still time for the state legislature to begin talking about that tax on bachelors and for Eddie, brave Eddie, LeRoy to defend the downtrodden bachelor.

Chicago has developed an epidemic of scarlet fever. The dread disease appears to have been brought to the city in the milk that came from Wisconsin cows.

England intends to send the great ship Dreadnaught to this side of the Atlantic, so their American Consuls can see its wonders.

The Thaw trial still drags on. The twelve good and honest men, peers of the prisoner, do not appear to be plentiful in New York.

So Sweetenham is to be allowed to apologize and then the incident will be closed. Alas, poor Sweetenham.

It is about time for the aldermanic candidates to begin firing their ammunition.

### PRESS COMMENT.

Whole State Has Decided Once. Iacine Journal: The vest pocket ballot turns up again, this time, to offer as an option to counties to adopt or not. Kill it.

Almost Interchangeable. Exchange: "Lovers and Lunatics" is the title of a new play. Sounds like tautology somehow, though of course not all lunatics are lovers.

Advice from Ella. Milwaukee Sentinel: Our own Ella Wheeler Wilcox says "Burn your love letters." Dollars to cream puffs Ella's were sizzling long before they reached their destination.

And Senator Bob. El Paso Herald: It will be well if the persons who select the heroes for the Carnegie medals do not overlook the martyr congressmen who voted against an increase in their salaries.

Impudence That's Only Temporary. Exchange: The cost of courtship, with American Beauty roses, at five dollars a dozen and the price of candy, taking a boom, is appalling. And yet the adoring swain never will spend money again in such an enjoyable way on the adored.

The Irrepressible Monocena. La Crosse Leader-Press: It is impossible to suppress Monocena Dunn and it is not surprising that he has again come forward with a ballot bill. He will defend it ably too. None of the members of the last legislature could meet Mr. Dunn in discussing the pocket ballot law he proposed at that session and they were compelled to refer it to the people to kill, it being realized that they would vote down anything they did not fully understand.

Nothing of the Kind. Chicago Tribune: "As I pen these lines," wrote the traveling man who was scribbling a letter to his wife while the train was going at the rate of fifty miles an hour, "a long nosed, squint eyed, rubber necked, putty faced Algerine, with an alcoholic breath and the manners of a Hottentot, is looking over my shoulder and

A snort of rage interrupted him. He turned quickly, but the man in the seat behind him, with gleaming eyes, compressed lips, and a fiery red face, was deeply absorbed in a newspaper.

Our Jenkin Raises a Point. Chicago Chronicle: Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones condemns the government's appropriation of \$1,500,000 to

the Jamestown exposition as "a primal waste of the nation's wealth." It is no more of a waste than many other appropriations that have gone unchallenged, but it is a reminder that there is great need of constitutional amendment prescribing exactly what congress may appropriate money for and what not. The practice in this respect is getting looser and looser all the time and can only be brought under control by the government. It has so much money that it is a relief to get rid of it in any possible way.

Abolish State Fair Passes! Fond du Lac Commonwealth: The newspapers of the state should give their unanimous support to the bill offered in the legislature by Senator Smith of this district and which, if passed, would prohibit the state fair and all county fairs receiving funds from the state, from issuing free tickets. The measure is a legitimate sequence to the anti-pass legislation affecting transportation lines and its enactment will prove a boon to every newspaper in the state. Every ticket et to a county or state fair that has been issued to the press, has been paid for at a rate many times the value of the pasteboard, and the chief beneficiaries have been the fair associations and the railroads.

### CENTRALIZATION OF WEALTH BIG MENACE

Does Nation Greater Injury Than Liquor Traffic Was Decision of Moonlight Club.

Before the Moonlight club, which met last evening in Brinkman's hall at Afton, six debaters discussed the topic, "Resolved, That the liquor traffic is not America's greatest menace." The affirmative side, holding that the centralization of wealth did the country a greater injury, won. The victorious speakers were Supt. O. D. Antisdel, Miss Sarah Z. Drabahl and C. R. Van Gilder and the defeated were John T. Atkinson, Miss Mary Roberts and Charles Porter. The decision was rendered by Supt. H. C. Buell, Jesse Earle and Rev. R. M. Vaughan, all of this city, who were requested to serve as judges. Rev. E. L. Rasey of the town of Beloit presided at the session and music during the evening of supper which was prepared by Mrs. Nellie McGree was furnished by Finley Brothers' orchestra.

### True Happiness.

Things are so arranged in this world that happiness as a profession must ever be a failure. It cannot be found by seeking it. It is a reflex action. It is incidental; a product which comes from doing noble things. It is impossible for a person to be really happy by making pleasure a profession.—Success Magazine.

### NOTICE!

There will be a meeting of the Grundy Beet Growers Association at the Shoemaker school house, Thursday afternoon, Jan. 31st, 1 o'clock. A. E. SHULTZ, Sec.

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The half prices being put upon the cloaks has awakened a lively interest in this department, and in addition to making such big reductions we also display more new garments than any one in town.

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settlers on the public lands. "Honor," he exclaimed, "is not confined to cabinets; nor do special agents appointed at Washington monopolize that sentiment." He added: "Measuring my words with care, I say that the order of the honorable secretary, of Dec. 18, last, is both unjust and oppressive, and, further still, I here aver that the records of the interior department do not furnish justification for the order; but on the contrary these records demonstrate that the order is not only unjustified, but clearly indefensible as to homestead settlers."

Mr. Carter presented and analyzed the records of entries and patents issued under the various land laws which he summed up by saying: "It will appear from a critical analysis of the figures and the facts that not to exceed one-half of one per cent of the final homestead entries; less than one per cent of the final desert land entries; less than one-half of one per cent of the final timber and stone entries, and less than one per cent of the final coal entries are found to be fraudulent, and the percentage of mineral entries tainted with fraud is small indeed. Taking the whole aggregate of percentage together, and figuring out from these percentages the average, we will find that less than one final entry of public land out of every hundred has been found in all the years to be subject to cancellation on account of fraud, default or delinquency of any kind. As to the homestead settlers, there is but one delinquent substantially in every 800 final entrymen."

As to the effect of this policy, Mr. Carter had this to say: "Suspected at every turn in the road of evil design, harassed by special agents and exasperating requirements of the interior department, it is not surprising that two honest homesteaders left the United States to locate in Canada during the year 1906 to one that filed a homestead entry on the public domain of the United States. While we are pinching, suspecting and harassing our homestead settlers,

the Canadian government, appreciating this class of people, as they were appreciated in this country in the days gone by, extends a cordial welcome to American homesteaders entering the Dominion. The Canadian law requires only three years residence on a homestead, whereas our law requires five, and the order of the secretary will add from one to ten years more to the time limit fixed by our statute.

"As to all final entrymen of public land the secretary of the interior violates the law by refusing to execute it. He has violated the law by adding to it conditions oppressively extending time limits, thereby essentially changing its letter and intent. He has violated the spirit of the law by prescribing odious methods of procedure neither contemplated nor sanctioned by the law. His order would humiliate, if possible, degrade a very large and respectable body of worthy citizens by discrediting their sworn testimony and subjecting them to a system of espionage to emphasize the official discredit. And all this, be it known is to be done without charge pending save the general indictment framed on the groundless suspicions of the secretary."

In concluding, Mr. Carter says: "To the band of Pharisees who base their claims to personal honesty and public attention on the merciless slandering of their neighbors, it is useless to submit any question in the expectation of obtaining fair and impartial treatment. He who would establish his own reputation for virtue by pointing to the alleged lack of that quality in others, are long become the victims of a confirmed habit of dissimulation. Such an individual will meet law and facts with opprobrious epithets while attempting to smother the logic of figures beneath an avalanche of innuendo and falsehood. From that class of persons the good people settling the west need expect neither justice, comfort nor support, but only additional insult and injury."

### New World's Seven Wonders.

The seven wonders of the new world are generally considered: Niagara Falls, Yellowstone Park, Garden of the Gods, Mammoth Cave, Yosemite Valley, Giant Trees and Natural Bridge.

In the Name of Sense,  
that good common sense  
of which all of us have a  
share, how can you continue  
to buy ordinary soda crackers,  
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### And That's History, Too.

"Who can tell me where Columbus landed?" asked the teacher when she had finished reading a little story in history. "In first place last season," answered the red-headed boy who knew something about the American Association.

### Bank of England Notes.

The ink with which notes of the Bank of England are printed is made of charred husks and stems of Rhenish vines and the recipe, like the manufacture of the paper, is a carefully guarded secret.

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

It cannot injure, may do wondrous good. For wrinkles, blemishes, skin troubles use Satin Skin Cream. 25c.

FOR SALE—A second hand cook stove, \$5 at the Ralph Bessdale farm, Rt. 7.

### WEATHER.

Temperature last 24 hours taken U. S. registered thermometer at Helm-street's drug store: 7 a. m., 6; 3 p. m., 14; highest, 20; lowest, 4; wind, east; cloudy to sunshine.

Read the want ads.

## THE ROCK COUNTY NATIONAL BANK OF JANESVILLE, WISCONSIN.

Statement made in response to the call of the Comptroller of the Currency as at the close, of business Jan'y 26th, 1907, analyzed and explained so as to be easily understood by everybody.

## RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.	These loans are secured by collateral and personal endorsements and are for certain specified times, very few for a longer time than four months. They are all live notes.	\$529,718.40
Overdrafts.	While it is emphatically against our rules to allow overdrafts in any form, it so happens that a few sometimes occur among our very best patrons. Such as now reported are but temporary.	1,328.41
United States Bonds to Secure Circulation.	The law requires National banks to invest at least 25 per cent of their capital in government bonds, which are received by the government as collateral security for circulating notes. The purpose of this law is, it affords the government a ready market for its bonds and the bank profits, by getting back in circulation the full face value of the bonds and also receives the interest provided by the bonds. Our bonds for circulation aggregate	25,000.00
U. S. Bonds to Secure U. S. Deposit.	We are required by the government to deposit U. S. bonds for the full amount of its deposits with us. Our U. S. bonds we carry at their face value, although their actual value today is over \$3000 more	50,000.00
Other Bonds, Securities, Etc.	These bonds are considered by us as gilt edged and are carried at their par value, only	21,525.23
Cash and Due From Banks.	DUE FROM STATE BANKS. This includes items in transit and money deposited with our Milwaukee correspondent. \$12,090.57 DUE FROM RESERVE AGTS. The law requires us to keep 15 per cent of our deposits on hand in cash or on deposit with National Banks approved by the government which banks are termed reserve agents. 124,127.41 CASH ON HAND. This money is in our vaults. Our cash on hand including money due from banks is 25 per cent of our deposits though the law requires only 15 per cent. 35,840.68	172,058.66
Redemption Fund.	All National Banks are required to keep on deposit with the Treasurer of the United States, a sum of money equal to 5 per cent of their circulation or the minimum amount of bonds deposited for circulation and against this deposit is charged all notes of the bank which are returned to the U. S. Treasury in a mutilated condition. These notes are then destroyed, new notes being issued to the bank after the redemption fund has been reimbursed for the amount charged against it.	2,250.00
	TOTAL RESOURCES	\$801,880.70

## LIABILITIES

Capital Stock.	Divided into 1000 shares at \$100 each. A National Bank cannot be organized in a city the size of Janesville with a less capital than	100,000.00
Surplus.	Surplus is a certain portion of the earnings set aside for a safeguard. The Government concedes a bank to be sufficiently protected against emergencies, when its surplus equals one-fifth of its capital. Ours exceeds the government requirement and is	30,000.00
Undivided Profits.	Less all taxes, interest and expenses since January first. This fund bears the same relation to the depositor and the bank, as the surplus account, but has not yet been formally transferred to that account	45,125.75
Circulation.	Showing the amount of our bank notes that have been issued by the government and are in circulation as against our \$25,000 bond deposit. We have the balance of our circulating notes in our vault ready for use but as their use shows a very small margin of profit, we have not put them in circulation	1,290.00
Individual Deposits.	This liability is divided into many different accounts, some large and some small, but all of them heartily appreciated by us	355,379.78
Demand Certificates of Deposit.	We have very lately commenced paying interest on certificates of deposit and it has resulted in gratifying increase in this account	220,085.17
United States Deposit.	We are under the closest and most rigid supervision of the United States Government as its appreciation of our condition is shown by their deposit with us	50,000.00
	OUR LIABILITIES AGGREGATE	\$801,880.70

Adding to the above statement the shareholders' liability of \$100,000 divided among substantial and well known citizens of Janesville the result shows a total guaranteed responsibility of \$275,000 standing between our depositors and any possible loss; and the greatest safety of all is afforded by the wise, conservative, active management of the men who govern the affairs of this half century old bank.

C. S. JACKMAN, President,  
C. W. JACKMAN, Vice President,

A. P. BURNHAM, Vice President,  
F. H. JACKMAN, Cashier,

D. W. HAYES,  
MICHAEL HAYES,

DIRECTORS



## "TEETH WITHOUT PLATES."

Don't have your teeth extracted. They may be saved. Dr. Richards can fit you with New Modern Bridge teeth which are 100 years in advance of the old false teeth.

Scarcely a day passes but he puts out an elegant piece of Bridge work for some one.

Call and talk with him. See his work.

A few minutes will convince you of the superiority of his new way of supplying lost teeth.

His prices are the most reasonable in the city.

Office over Hall & Sayles' Jewelry Store, West Milwaukee street.

## Cleaners & Dyers

Ladies Walsts, fine Dresses and Spring Jackets Chemically Dry Cleaned.

Janesville Steam Dye House  
Carl F. Brockhaus, Prop.  
59 East Milwaukee St.

## "The MODEL" BARBER SHOP

Our facial massages clear up the complexion and leave the skin soft and velvety.

M. J. BRENNAN, Prop.

## WEST SIDE THEATRE ROLLER SKATING

Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday Nights and Every Afternoon.

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK  
JANESVILLE, WIS.

At the close of business Jan. 26, 1907.

## RESOURCES.

Loans	\$628,856.09
Overdrafts	112.13
United States Bonds	50,000.00
Other Bonds	117,862.70
Banking House	10,000.00
Due from banks	\$195,003.68
Cash	72,220.88
Due from U. S. Treasurer	3,500.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,077,350.46</b>

## LIABILITIES.

Capital	\$125,000.00
Surplus	85,000.00
Undivided Profits	31,264.74
Circulation Outstanding	49,700.00
Deposits	786,395.72
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,077,350.46</b>

The First National Bank solicits business on the strength of its record and standing.

JOHN G. REXFORD, Pres.  
L. B. CARLE, Vice Pres.  
W. O. NEWHOUSE, CASHIER.  
January 26, 1907.

## PASTEURIZED MILK

Is milk which has had the animal heat taken from it, and has then been subjected to several heat treatments in sterilized receptacles to remove absolutely all germ life and to make it pure.

Sterilized (boiled) bottles and sterilized (clean) new antiseptic stoppers are used in all bottles. In these days of contagious disease can you afford to take even a remote chance, especially with children? PURE MILK COSTS NO MORE.

JANESVILLE PURE MILK CO.  
Gridley & Craft, Props.

## GENERAL NOTICE.

Lodge notices, church notices and announcements of meetings of societies will be published in the Gazette if written out and left at the office. It is almost impossible to take such notices over the telephone correctly and the rule of having them written out and left in the business office must be adhered to. There is no charge for such notices. Communications to the paper must be accompanied by the name of the sender. No unsigned communications will be given any attention. The name will not be used unless requested.

GAZETTE PTC. CO.

Burn Taylor's clean coal.

Notice  
All members of Canton Janesville No. 9, P. M., and their ladies are requested to meet at West Side Odd Fellows' hall Thursday evening at 7:30 to make final arrangements for military ball, JAS. A. FATHERS, Clerk.

Burn Taylor's clean coal.

## CARP FISHING IS A NEW INDUSTRY

LAKE KOSHKONONG IS A PROLIFIC FIELD FOR THE FISH.

## INCREASES YEAR BY YEAR

Work Continues in Winter as Well as in the Summer Months—Big Shipments.

Scarcely ten years ago the capture of a carp by a fisherman was considered an omen of ill luck and the wounded fish was thrown back into the river to die or cut onto the banks to meet the same fate. Today at six cents a pound, in the New York market, hundreds of thousands of pounds of this species of the finny tribe have been shipped from the Rock river and Lake Koshkonong and despite the zero weather of the present winter a hundred men are working at Lake Koshkonong and on the Rock river shipping in the aggregate twenty thousand pounds each week to the New York firms that handle these fish.

**Carp Distributed.**  
It was during Governor Hoard's term as chief executive of the state that the carp first came into prominence. The Governor came from Ft. Atkinson, where many of his neighbors were Germans, and many of them had ponds in which large quantities of carp were kept. These fish had been imported from Germany and had increased rapidly. While some few ponds had been emptied into the Rock river it was not until the Governor suggested that the carp would make an addition of great value to the fish of the state were the ponds generally emptied and the Rock river and Lake Koshkonong deluged with them.

**The Fishing.**  
The idea impressed the people so generally that specimens were introduced into almost all of the small lakes throughout the state about this time. For several years they remained unnoticed and then their presence became felt in an objectionable manner. The problem of destroying them has since been one of considerable note, but it was not until the carp fishermen arrived with their big seines and dip nets and deep sea methods of making large hauls that the problem appeared to be near solution.

## Is an Industry

Carp fishing has become an industry of considerable importance. All the fish caught find ready market in the east and once a week fish cars loaded to capacity have started from Ft. Atkinson for New York. During the summer months huge nets, a quarter of a mile long, towed by small launches from one end of the lake to another, bring up from four to five thousand pounds of live carp every haul. In the winter the work is more complicated. Holes are cut in the ice, on both lake and river, deep dip nets let down and embedded into the mud. The carp is a burrowing fish and the disturbed bottom attracts him and he proceeds to investigate. Every thirty-six hours these dip nets are taken out, usually with forty to fifty pounds of carp caught in the meshes.

**How Used.**  
Just what the New York fish people use the carp for is not understood. The cars run to New York under a number, with no regular assignment on the docks. One report is that they are used for canning purposes, the meat of the fish being similar to that of salmon, and another is that they are sold to the Jews of Gotham. What their use remains a question, but it is known that all that can be shipped are sent east at good prices.

## TWENTY-FIVE SURPRISED

MR. AND MRS. C. W. WISCH

Last Evening and Several Hours Were Devoted to Cards and a Tasting Repast.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wisch were surprised by a company of twenty-five friends at their home on East Milwaukee street last evening. The guests arrived on the scene armed with tables and chairs, as well as well-filled hamper, and after a delicious three-course luncheon had been served, several hours were devoted to cards. At progressive cinch W. M. Scrivens and Miss Mae Schuler captured the first prizes and the consolation awards were bestowed on Mr. Robb and Mrs. J. C. Schuler. A delightful time was enjoyed by all of the participants.

## LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Prof. Kehl's dancing classes meet Friday, February 1.

Large Jacked Refrigerator for sale cheap at Woodring's store. O. D. Rowe, trustee.

Private skating party of Thursday night has been postponed.

Clerks' Mask Ball Feb. 11.

Canton members and their ladies meet at their hall tomorrow night to practice.

St. Mary's Court, W. C. O. F., will give a card party, dance and supper Thursday night, Jan. 31st. Roy Carter's orchestra, Central hall.

Circle No. 1 of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. G. Arnold on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Manager Henry Tall of the City Ice Co. is always out for the best of everything that will make the work of ice handling easier. The same is true of installing the same. This he turned over to Ford & Boos, local contractors of this city.

The Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will hold its regular meeting with Mrs. C. St. Crosby on Wednesday evening, Jan. 30, at 7:30 o'clock. The program will consist of: Devotional, Mrs. C. St. Crosby; Resumé of Cumberland Presbyterian Missions, Mrs. J. W. Laughlin; Immigration, Miss M. Paleston.

## MATRIMONIAL.

**Korban-Klein.**  
Married at Woodstock, Ill., January 30, 1907, by the Rev. Thomas Cox at the First M. E. church pastor, Henry C. Klein and Miss Vina Korban.

Burn Taylor's clean coal.

## LAST TRIBUTE TO LATE L. L. LESLIE

Funeral Services Held at Home This Morning and Remains Taken to Darlington For Burial.

Friends of the late Dr. Lloyd L. Leslie attested their esteem and love for him this morning, funeral services being held at the home, 352 Court St. at 9:15 o'clock. Many were in attendance to pay personal tribute to the deceased while others were represented in the beautiful floral offerings which nearly hid the casket.

Rev. R. M. Vaughan in his words of appreciation of the character of the man who has gone, paid a tribute to the sunny, uncomplaining disposition of Lloyd Leslie. He thought that perhaps this was a birthright but even so he honored the man because many trials and tribulations in his conflict with the world left with him no trace of bitterness. His fidelity to his home, his friends, and his every trust; his eagerness to grasp such opportunities as were possible for him to labor for the common-weal; and though he belonged to no church, his deep and abiding belief in the tenets of Christianity were also dwelt upon.

Men with whom Mr. Leslie had been associated in both business and social life acted as pall bearers—A. P. Burnham, F. H. Koebelin, A. E. Bingham, Dr. C. G. Dwight, W. H. Greenman and H. H. Bliss. The remains were taken to the St. Paul depot and carried to Darlington for burial. At the grave there the masonic rites were performed. Those who accompanied the body were Rev. R. M. Vaughan, Mrs. L. L. Leslie and son Paul, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Dunwiddie, and Edward P. Ryan of this city, and Mrs. Cabanas of Charlesvoix, Mich., foster mother of Mr. Leslie. Judge Leslie of Omaha, a brother of the deceased, was at Darlington.

**Nathan McCaslin.**  
Nathan McCaslin of New London died at his home in that city Monday. He was a member of the G. A. R. and was well known in Janesville and vicinity. His widow is a cousin of Mrs. Rosa of this city.

## Joseph Waterman

Jerome Waterman today received a telegram stating that his father, Joseph Waterman, died at his home there, this morning. The deceased formerly resided on a farm in the town of Harmony, but several years ago retired and made his home in the south. The remains will be shipped to Milton for burial.

## Mrs. Emma Willis.

Word was received here this morning of the death in Minneapolis last evening of Mrs. Emma Willis, a sister of R. W. Bates of 60 South River street. Mrs. Willis lived in Janesville for more than a score of years and will be remembered as Mrs. Anton Richardson, that being her first husband's name. Besides the brother residing here she leaves to mourn her demise a brother, Lou Bates, of Spring Valley, Minn., and a daughter, Jennie Willis. Mrs. Willis will be buried beside her father in a Minneapolis cemetery.

## TIES NOT MATERIAL FOR THE NEW YARDS

Dream of Preparations for Building South of City This Year Given a Blow.

Last fall a large supply of oak railroad ties was used in the local yards of the Chicago & North-Western Railway company and many people fondly hoped, and some even dared to believe, that such was the first move toward the building of the projected freight-sorting yards, south of the city. But today a work train came from Chicago, took aboard a load of ties and began distributing them along the tracks of the Wisconsin division. This means that they will be used for repairing the main line immediately after the opening of spring.

## LOCAL LACONICS.

**Lena Ashwell Date Cancelled:** Lena Ashwell, the English actress who was to appear in Janesville at an early date in "The Shulamite," has broken down and her American tour has been abandoned.

**Jenkin L. Jones in Beloit:** Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones of Chicago, a former Janesville minister, will speak on "Men and Memories of the Civil War" at the second luncheon to be given by the men of the Congregational church of that city this evening.

**Injured by Stamping Machine:** While preparing letters for the early mails yesterday Edwin Madgen, night clerk at the postoffice, had the misfortune to catch the end of his little finger of the right hand in the stamping machine mechanism. Dr. James Gibson dressed the injured member.

**Played in Sterling:** Al Kneff, George Hatch, and three other members of the Kneff & Hatch orchestra returned this noon from Sterling, Ill., where they played last evening, for the large annual Masonic dance.

**Thinks It a Hard World:** Sheriff Ira Fisher took Henry Korkenhorst to Waupun this noon. The latter's clothes and the saws and hoes comprising his grubbing outfit have been packed in a box at the jail and will be forwarded to him nine months hence when his term, presupposing good behavior, is up. For Henry does not intend to come back to this part of the country. He thinks that the law has "handed it to him" pretty strong just for making a noise with a gun in the effort to collect what he regarded as a just debt. He will go north.

**In Justice Court:** In Judge Reed's court today a judgment for the plaintiff in the sum of \$24 was handed down in the action brought by W. A. Murray against James L. Kilmer to collect a meat account.

**John Gordon of Juda is in the city.** Mr. and Mrs. William Fulton of Madison are Janesville visitors.

**George Gilling of Mineral Point** was in the city last night.

**Charles W. Jones of Whitewater** transacted business here last evening.

Read the want ads.

## WERE BRAKEMEN IN FROZEN NORTHWEST

Fred Duller and Edward Dobbins Found Too Much Cold Weather and Former is Airy as Here.

Fred Duller, who, with Edward Dobbins, the wrestler, left Janesville three weeks ago to brake on the Great Northern railway, arrived home this morning and states that his partner will follow, reaching here Saturday. They were hired in Chicago and sent to Crookston, Minn., a point four hundred miles northwest of St. Paul. Their run was from there to Emerson, Manitoba, Canada. "When we left Chicago it was raining, at St. Paul we were shivering and at Crookston we bought warmer clothing," said Mr. Duller today. "We found the work pretty tough and prefer Janesville to any part of the northwest. Dobbins had his nose, cheeks and ears frozen and you wouldn't recognize him. I escaped getting bitten and will stay out of that country. The government couldn't give me forty claims, even if they paid me for keeping them. It has been necessary to permit settlers to leave their land until summer, no coal or food supplies being obtainable in many places. Over some branches no trains have run since the middle of November and whole trains are snowed in. A week ago six sections of the North-Western company's 'oriental limited,' running between Seattle and St. Paul, were blocked while other trains were several days late. Of course no fuel can be shipped into these frozen up sections and people are dying from cold while others will come out of the winter minus feet, legs hands or arms. It was forty-six below at Emerson Monday and four settlers froze to death while going a mile. Yes, there is a lot of work for railroad men and high wages are paid. Brakemen can earn nearly double what they receive in this part of the country. The Great Northern is shipping men from Chicago every day, but nearly all leave the country after making one or two trips."

## DWORKINS AND THE COHENS ARE AT WAR

Russian-Jewish Residents Accuse One Another of Smashing Heads and Furniture.

Between the Dworkin and Cohen families who reside near the end of the Jackson street bridge has arisen a feud which both sides wish to have settled in the courts. One of the Dworkin ladies—claims that she was beaten with a club by men in the other faction, while the Cohen contingent avers that women from the Dworkin house fell upon the Cohen house with a sledge hammer last night, beating in the windows and smashing lamps, gasolene stoves, and to have originated when one of the Dworkins married a Cohen, a recent immigrant from Russia, against the family's wishes. This Cohen, it is claimed, does not earn enough money in the junk business. With a borrowed capital of \$13 he only cleared up a net profit of \$23 in a single week. Such a miserable showing is to be attributed partly to the fact that he cannot speak English and to the further fact that it is too cold for householders to bother about old rags and scrap-iron. But his wife's family do not excuse him and the merry furniture-breaking war is on. Delegations from the hostile camps visited municipal court this morning and sought to swear out warrants for the other fellows and ladies, but were unsuccessful.

## DECISIONS AFFIRMED BY SUPREME COURT

All of Judge Dunwiddie's Recent Findings in Cases Arising in This Circuit Court Will Stand.

All of Former Judge Dunwiddie's decisions in the Rock county court upon which the supreme court passed yesterday, were affirmed. The titles of the actions affected are: James McKone vs. the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.; Thomas McKelvey, administrator, vs. the C. & N. W. Ry. Co.; and Bernard M. Palmer, administrator, vs. Henry J. O'Rourke, and John H. Parker vs. the Fairbanks-Morse Co. of Beloit. In this latter action the lower court awarded the plaintiff damages amounting to \$12,500 for injuries received in an accident at the plant.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. H. G. Carter and Mr. Roy Carter were in Chicago Tuesday to attend the opera.

Mrs. John Fuller Sweeney is a Chicago visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rexford are in Chicago to attend the opera.

Mrs. Carl Diehs, who underwent

## DIG DOWN

into the depths of some of those places where you have placed old pieces of gold jewelry and silver.

## DIG THEM OUT

and take them to

HALL & SAYLES,

and they will

PAY CASH

or allow you cash value

in trade for them.

E. R. WINSLOW

20 North Main St.

an operation in Chicago last week, is reported much improved.  
G. U. Fisher is in Milwaukee.  
E. E. Bullock is a Milwaukee visitor.  
Father Goebel was called to Marietta, Ohio, this afternoon by the death of his father.

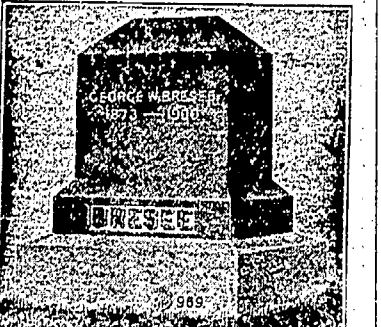
Miss Lela Harker, who has been the guest of Miss Laura Mosher for the past few days, departed for her home in Plattville this morning.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Robinson of Whitewater visited in the city over night.

Mrs. Warren Skelly will depart tomorrow for Rock Ledge, Fla.  
Dr. Anderson of Oxfordville was a Janesville visitor today.  
James Busfield and daughter Jessie who have been visiting his mother in the town of Rock have started for Fort Pierre, S. D., where he and wife and two daughters are homesteaders.  
Mr. Busfield has been agent for different railroads for thirty-four years and is a relief agent for the Great Northern line for whom he has worked for the last sixteen years in Iowa and Nebraska.

L. M. Mercereau of Elmira, New York, arrived in Janesville last evening and expects to be here for several weeks, receiving tobacco for the John Bagley Co. of Detroit.  
Officer Patrick Fanning went to Rockford yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Mr. Dermody. Officer Mason was on duty last evening.  
Hon. and Mrs. James Monahan of Darlington were here from Darlington today to attend the funeral of the late L. L. Leslie.

Lyman Wilbur, who has been seriously ill for many months, is improving rapidly and will soon be able to be about again.

W. W. Peck of Darlington was a Janesville visitor last evening.



## A BIG CUT IN PRICES ON MONUMENTS.

All orders taken during the winter season will give ample time for finest of work and prompt spring delivery. Call and inspect the largest stock of monuments in Southern Wisconsin.

BRESEE  
West Milwaukee St.

## Nothing so satisfactory as

## A Good Pocket TIMEPIECE

My prices on new Watches are very low. Any make. My prices on repairs also very low.

Cleaning, \$1.00  
Main Springs, \$1.00  
Warranted. Other repairs equally as low.

## O. H. PYPER

"The Jeweler"

58 West Milwaukee St.

## GOLDEN PALACE FLOUR

\$1.15 SACK.

8 BARS SWIFT PRIDE SOAP 25¢

SWIFT JERSEY BUTTER 15¢ LB.

STOPPENBACH & SON 5 and 10 LB. PAIL LARD 14¢ LB.

STOPPENBACH & SON BACON 16¢ LB.

3 QUARTS CRANBERRIES 25¢

5-LB. PKG. OATMEAL, DISH IN EACH PKG., 20¢

2 CANS RED. SALMON 25¢

4 PACKAGES MINCE MEAT 25¢

E. R. WINSLOW

20 North Main St.

We point with pride to our statement on page four, and beg that you will give it your consideration.

## ROCK COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

## COUNTRY HOUSE

FOR SALE—40 acres of the Woodruff farm, one and one-half miles northwest of Janesville Post Office. Large modern house, furnace, gasoline gas and electric light, baths, hot and cold water, large barn and other buildings. Ornamental and shade trees, fine drives. Magnificent view of city and country for 15 miles. Rich soil. Price, \$12,500. More land if desired.

GEO. WOODRUFF,  
Janesville, Wis.

## FEED YOUR HENS

egg-making foods and they just can't help but lay.  
BEEF SCRAP, CUT CLOVER, all kinds of grain, foods and grits fed in the right proportion will produce eggs every time. If you don't know what to feed ask us.

Mosher's  
Best Flour  
\$1.10 per sack

F. H. GREEN & SON  
43 N. Main St. Both phones.

## NASH

Pure Ohio Maple Syrup.

First run of the Sap Strictly Pure Maple Syrup.

Cabbages Rutabagas, Squash

H. G. Lettuce and Celery.

Half Gal. Cans Molasses.

Swift's Premium High Grade Butterine 20c lb.

Baldwin, Spy and Gillflower Apples.

3 qts. Cape Cod Cranberries 25c.

3 Egg-O-Sees, Corn Flakes or Malta Vita, 25c.

Clam Chowder, Little Neck Clams, Chili Con Carne and Chop Suey.

Buckwheat & White Clover Honey 20c lb.

Hominy.

After Dinner Mints.

Best 50c Tea on earth.

Best 25c Coffee on earth.

6 lbs. Prunes, 90 to 100, 25c.

3 lbs. 50 to 60 Santa Clara Prunes 25c.

30 to 40 S. C. Prunes 12c lb.

Heinz Canned Mince Meat.

The Finest Oil Sardines Imported, 10c can.

Oranges, 15c, 25c and 30c dz.

Maple Sugar 12c lb.

6 Express Toilet Paper 25c.

Cane Sugar, only.

Wafer Sliced Dried Beef.

Boiled Ham and Pressed Corn Beef.

Pork Tenderloins.

Chickens.

Home Rendered Lard 13c lb.

Groceries and Meat.



## SCORES KILLED IN MINE EXPLOSION

TERRIBLE DISASTER NEAR FAYETTEVILLE, W. VA.

EIGHTY OR MORE BURIED

Rescuers Cannot Enter Shaft and Probably None of the Victims Will Be Taken Out Alive.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 30.—With a detonation heard for miles around and debris hurled hundreds of feet in the air, dust in the Stuart mine, near Fayetteville, exploded at 12:55 Tuesday afternoon, bringing a terrible death to 80 or more men who were at work more than 500 feet below the surface.

There probably is no chance that any of the men will be taken out alive, for it is thought that the terrific force of the explosion snuffed out their lives instantly. It will not be possible for the rescuers to reach the bottom of the shaft within 48 hours.

State's Worst Disaster. The disaster is perhaps the worst in the number of killed, in the history of this state. Most of the men were Americans and many of them were married and had large families. There were a dozen or more colored men and 15 or more aliens.

The rescue work was commenced as soon as the wrecked parts of the shaft-house could be repaired. About two hours after the explosion three men were lowered into the shaft in an improvised bucket. Before descending 60 feet two of the men were overcome with foul air and the third was barely able to give the signal to his comrades at the top. All further attempts were abandoned for the time.

Air was supplied to the mine by several large fans, but the mechanism was damaged and the fans were idle for about two hours. The fans were started again and if the men were not all killed by the force of the explosion it may be that they will have air enough to survive until the rescuers reach them.

But One Entry to Mine. The Stuart mine has but one opening, although an entry has been driven to connect with the parallel mine a short distance away. This work has been about accomplished. The Stuart shaft has three compartments, two for the cages and one for an air shaft. One of the coal cages had been taken out for repairs, leaving the compartment clear, and it was not damaged. It was through this that the three men attempted to descend in the improvised bucket.

Smoke and dust poured into the air for hundreds of feet from the ventilating compartment and it was wrecked. It is stated that nearly all the men were at work in the entries near the bottom of the shaft. The mine had been having a good run and in consequence most of the men were at work.

Dust Caused Explosion. No official announcement of the disaster or its cause has yet been made by the officers of the company. That dust caused the explosion is stated by persons at the scene, but the investigation may prove otherwise. It is stated that little or no gas has been encountered in the mine, but that it is dry and that the dust was frequently sprinkled.

The Stuart mine is owned by the White Oak Fuel company, a part of the New River Fuel company of which Samuel Dixon is president and J. W. Smiley is secretary and treasurer. The general offices of the White Oak company are at McDonald. The mine is located on the White Oak railroad, owned and operated by the fuel company. It is three and one-half miles from Fayetteville. Secretary Smiley notified Chief Mine Inspector Paul of the disaster as soon as possible. He was not at the scene and could give few facts, but said that about 90 men were at work when the explosion occurred.

Crowds gathered after the explosion and rescue parties were immediately organized by Fred Dixon, general manager of the White Oak company.

Dead at Saarbrücken Area 148.

Saarbrücken, Rhinisch Prussia, Jan. 29.—An official report, revised up to a late hour Tuesday afternoon, places the number of dead in the Reuten mine disaster at 148, of which 62 have been brought out of the mine.

Maritime Expresses Wrecked.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 30.—The Maritime express train, from Montreal for Halifax, was wrecked Tuesday night near Windsor Junction, on the Intercolonial railroad. The whole train, with the exception of the engine and one car, left the rails. No lives were lost. Several passengers and trainmen are reported injured.

Connell Must Pay \$100.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 30.—Ex-Congressman W. J. Connell, who was adjudged guilty of contempt by Judge Sutton of the district court after trial, was sentenced Tuesday to pay a fine of \$100. Connell was charged with trying to browbeat the court in the recent "coal trust" trial.

High Water at New Orleans.

New Orleans, Jan. 30.—At two low points along the business water front of New Orleans, Canal street and Jackson avenue, respectively, the river Tuesday rose to the top of the levee. Several hundred sand bags were used to hold back the water. No worry has been created by this rise.

Brutal Attack on Young Woman.

New Cumberland, W. Va., Jan. 30.—Unconscious, bound, gagged and tied to a chair, Nellie Campbell, chief operator at the local telephone exchange, was found nearly dead at her home Tuesday. She has not yet rallied sufficiently to tell who her assailants were and it is doubtful whether she will recover. Apparently the girl's assailants were burglars, who after assaulting her, tied and gagged her and then ransacked the house, taking several articles of value.

California Senate on Japanese.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 30.—The senate Tuesday passed the senate concurrent resolution on the Japanese school question. It "strenuously protests against the unwarranted interference with the constitutional rights of the state," and "requests the governor and attorney general to do all things necessary to protect and save the rights of the state of California."

Missing Mayor Returns.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 30.—Mayor A. G. Erickson, who disappeared on Saturday, returned Tuesday night, having been to New York. He says: "I had an impulse to go some place, and I went."

Want ads. bring results.

## BIG FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA

BALDWIN LOCOMOTIVE WORKS IS DAMAGED \$1,000,000.

Thousand Workmen in Burned Portion Escape Uninjured—Loss is Fully Covered by Insurance.

Philadelphia, Jan. 30.—Fire, which started with an explosion in the paint shop, destroyed one entire section of the big Baldwin Locomotive Works Tuesday night, entailing a loss of \$1,000,000.

The destroyed building is about 175 feet long by 150 deep, facing on Spring Garden street and immediately adjoining the main office at Broad and Spring Garden streets, and the erecting shops, smith shops and foundries on the south. These buildings were threatened with destruction, as were other departments in the rear of the destroyed building and the entire fire department was called out to fight the flames.

About 1,000 men were employed in the burned building, which was five stories high. The pipe bending department was on the first floor; the "jacketing," or sheet-iron department, on the second, a metal pattern store-room and brass-fitting room on the third, the paint shop and cab-fitting department and paint store-room on the fourth, and the drafting and designing rooms on the fifth floor.

The fire was discovered in the east end of the building a few minutes before six o'clock when the workmen were preparing to leave, and though the flames spread quickly, all were able to get out of the building safely. The upper portion of the wall on Spring Garden street fell, into the street and one fireman and three workmen were caught by the falling bricks, but received only slight injuries.

The firemen, with the assistance of the fire patrol from the plant, succeeded in getting the flames under control within an hour after the fire was discovered.

The Baldwin Locomotive Works is the largest industrial plant in the United States and employs 18,000 men in this city and nearly 10,000 in departments at Lewistown and other places. John H. Converse, president of Burnham, Williams & Co., which operates the Baldwin plant, said that the loss would reach probably \$1,000,000, fully covered by insurance. The 1,000 men employed in the burned building, he said, would be immediately put to work in other departments. The fire will not greatly hinder work, as the departments destroyed are duplicated in other parts of the plant.

WILEY ON COLD STORAGE.

Tells House Committee the Results of His Experiments.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the chemistry bureau of the department of agriculture and the government's pure food expert, gave much interesting testimony concerning the deterioration of food-stuffs in cold storage before the house committee on agriculture.

"Milk begins to deteriorate right away, and so does cream," said Dr. Wiley. "Eggs also begin to deteriorate immediately. Fruit is improved and sometimes continues to improve for three months. Meat improves up to about six or eight weeks, but after three months it begins to go down." He said oysters opened and shipped in buckets were bad, and condemned gelatin as dirty and likely to contain tetanus germs.

Powder Mill Explosion Kills Two. Fontanet, Ind., Jan. 30.—The powder mill of the Luffin & Rand Powder company near here was destroyed by an explosion Tuesday afternoon. Jake Garner, 26 years old, and Max Burned, 27 years old, the only employees in the mill at the time, were blown to atoms.

Eight Hurt in Wreck on the "Katy." South McAlester, I. T., Jan. 30.—Eight persons were injured, two fatally, by a collision of Missouri, Kansas & Texas freight train No. 404, bound for Texas, and a local passenger train at Crowder City, I. T., Tuesday.

Gulf Stream Changes Course.

New Orleans, Jan. 30.—The fact that the Gulf stream has made important changes in its course was announced Tuesday by the Gulf division of the hydrographic office, in charge of Capt. John C. Soley. These changes are noted between the time the stream leaves the north coast of South America until it enters the Atlantic. A map embodying them will be issued next month.

Woman Lets Train Kill Her.

Jackson, Mich., Jan. 30.—Knocking on the track with her hands upraised in prayer, Miss Harriet S. Bartlett, aged 35, was instantly killed Tuesday afternoon by a Michigan Central passenger train half a mile west of this city. Miss Bartlett's marriage had been postponed several times owing to her poor health, and it is thought her troubles had unbalanced her mind.

Harvey Allen, Free Soiler, Dies.

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 30.—Harry Allen, who was prominent in the movement to make Kansas a free state, died suddenly at the National Soldiers' home at Lansing, near here, Tuesday. In the early days he was a member of the Kansas legislature.

Tripler's Treasures Found.

New York, Jan. 30.—Diamonds and other jewels valued at \$35,000 were found Tuesday hidden in an old trunk in the home of the late Charles Tripler, of Manhattan, L. I., discoverer of liquid air.

Mr. Shaw in New England.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 30.—Leslie M. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasury, is in Concord to address the New Hampshire State Board of Trade at its annual meeting this evening. The event has attracted one of the largest and most distinguished gatherings of business men ever held in this state.

Buy it in Janesville.

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A Big Housemaid.

The missionary was at once pale and yellow-pale, he explained, from an avoidance of the deadly Indian sun, yellow from a disordered liver.

"Nevertheless," he said early, "India for me first, last and all the time. On the money you and your family are paying at this hotel do you know how you would live in India?"

He lighted a cigarette and resumed: "You would live in a beautiful house set in a lovely garden, with a list of servants that would include a khandamah, or butler; a khimnagar, or table servant; a chokra, or page; a musalchee, or light bearer; a mug or cook; two sycees, or groomers; a dhocsee, or water carrier; a sallah, or house cooly; a mollah, or gardener; a dholee, or washerman; a dharzee, or private tailor; an ayah, or nurse; a sidah, or valet; a furash bearer, or lamp man; three punkah coolies to work the fans; a durman, or lodge porter; a jangidar, or footman, and several chuprassies, or messengers.

Japanese Art Symbols.

If a Japanese artist wishes to describe in color and design the anticipation of happiness he draws a picture which is a combination of an April evening, a moon, a nightingale and a plum tree or two. Victory is symbolized by the iris, grace and quietness by the willow tree and the swallow for symbols. Patriotism is sometimes indicated by a spray of cherry blossoms. The almond flower is the flower of spring and symbolizes beauty. The dragon twines and writhes an artistic course through all Japanese art, root and branch. His name is Tatsu, and when you see him pictured as fighting with a tiger it is the symbol of religion fighting against power. A dragon floating about in the clouds means success in life. Tori, the cock, perched upon a drum, signifies good government. Both the Greeks and the Japs use the butterfly to symbolize immortality.

Both Suspicious.

Baron Rubner went one evening to call upon President Thiers, who was then at the head of the French republic. The baron found the door of the house open and walked upstairs. In the dim light a man crept stealthily toward him. Knowing that the president went in fear of his life and unwilling to die a martyr in a cause not his own, the baron hurriedly explained, "I am not M. Thiers." "I know that you are not M. Thiers," answered the mysterious stranger, "but I want to know who you are." Before answering the baron insisted upon knowing the identity of his companion. "Oh, I am M. Thiers' butler," was the answer. Rubner declared himself. "Ah," said the butler, with a sigh of relief, "I have your name first on the list of visitors." Each had taken the other for an assassin.

Worked the Tigers.

Near Perak, in the Malay peninsula, is a prosperous rubber factory run by a long-headed Scotchman. In order to obtain the sap from which the rubber is made it is necessary to puncture the bark of the trees. Laborers are scarce in that district, but there is an abundance of tigers. There were not enough men to "tap" the trees, but the Scotch proprietor hit on a brilliant idea. He knew that tigers are fond of valerian, so he gave orders that all the trees should be rubbed with this stuff. The tigers came up and curiously scratched the bark in the most approved herringbone fashion, after which all that the coolies had to do was to walk around once a day and collect the rubber.

Aromatic Petit Larceny.

"I hope you notice how sweet I am," smiled the girl when they were out on the street again. "While the man was wrapping up the toothbrush, I was trying all the perfume on the counter. He looked at me awfully hard."

"I should think he would have had you arrested," remarked her companion severely. "What if everybody tried all the perfumes like that? How much would he have left to sell?"—New York Press.

Like a Dog Watch.

Mamma had not noticed the clock striking during all of the afternoon and, thinking perhaps it had stopped, she asked little Rita to go into the hall and see if it was running. After a hasty survey of the long pendulum swinging back and forth, Rita ran back and announced: "Why, no, mamma, it isn't running. It's standing still and wagging its tail."—Harpers Weekly.

A Helpful Wife.

"Ladies and gentlemen," said the after dinner orator, "unaccustomed as I am to public speaking, and having been suddenly called upon without the slightest notice, I am—er—exceedingly—er—"

"Why, John," said his wife from the other end of the table, "have you forgot the rest? You said it all right this morning."

Nature's Methods.

Nature is no spendthrift, but takes the shortest way to her ends. As the general says to his soldiers, "If you want a fort, build a fort," so nature makes every creature do its own work and get its living, be it plant, animal or tree.—Emerson.

Chance and Accident.

It is a mortifying truth, and ought to teach the wisest of its humilities, that many of the most valuable discoveries have been the result of chance rather than of contemplation and of accident rather than of design.—Colton.

It was a son of Eril who asked the meeting to excuse him from serving on a committee because he expected to be unexpectedly called away.

Buy it in Janesville.

## Woman's Watchword Is Modesty.

Whatever threatens woman's delicate sense of modesty, frightens her. For this reason many a woman permits disease of the delicate womanly organs to become aggravated because she cannot bring herself to submit to the ordeal of unpleasant questioning, offensive examinations, and obnoxious local treatments, which most physicians think necessary. Doubtless thousands of the women who have taken advantage of Dr. Pierce's offer of free consultation by letter have been led to do so by the escape thus offered from a treatment repugnant to modesty.

Any sick woman may write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., in perfect confidence; all letters of consultation being treated as strictly private and sacredly confidential, and all answers being sent in plain envelopes with no advertising or other printing upon them. Such consultation costs you nothing whether you take treatment from Dr. Pierce or not.

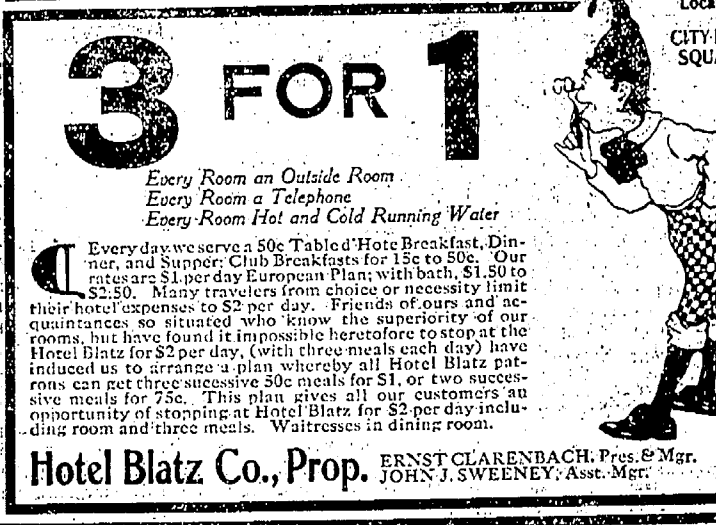
Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been long hailed as a "God-send to women." It makes weak women strong and sick women well. It enables women suffering from "female weakness," prolapsus uteri, from overexertion, antenatal and other displacements of the organs, distinctly feminine, to cure themselves right in the privacy of their homes. Pelvic catarrh, drains, painful or irregular periods, backache, frequent headaches, weak nerves, dragging-down pain or distress in the lower abdominal, or pelvic region, gnawing sensation in stomach, dizziness, or faint spells, and kindred conditions and symptoms are cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is not a secret or patent medicine, against the use of which most people of intelligence naturally object, but is, in fact, the "Favorite Prescription" of a regularly educated and experienced physician in the treatment of woman's peculiar ailments and who is not afraid to publish all its ingredients, as he does, on its bottle-wrapper, attesting the correctness of the same under oath.

"Favorite Prescription" is the one medicine for woman's delicate ailments which contains neither alcohol, opium, nor any habit-forming drug, being a pure glyceric extract of the most valuable medicinal roots, as attested by many of the most eminent medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate system. It is made of native American medicinal roots, and is perfectly harmless in its effects in any condition of the female system.

As a powerful invigorating tonic, "Favorite Prescription" imparts strength to the whole system and to the organs directly feminine in particular. For overworked, "worn-out," run-down, debilitated teachers, milliners, dress-makers, seamstresses, "shop-girls," house-keepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequalled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic. As a soothing and strengthening nerve "Favorite Prescription" is unequalled.

In the cure of scrofulous swellings, enlarged glands, open eating ulcers, or old sores, the "Golden Medical Discovery" has performed the most marvelous cures. In cases of old sores, or open eating ulcers, it is well to apply to the open sores Dr. Pierce's All-Healing Salve, which possesses wonderful healing potency when used as an application to the sores in conjunction with the use of "Golden Medical Discovery" as a blood-cleansing constitutional treatment. If your druggist doesn't happen to have the "All-Healing Salve" in stock, you can easily procure it by inclosing fifty-four cents in postage stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, 663 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y., and it will come to you by return post. Most druggists keep it as well as the "Golden Medical Discovery."

You can't afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," which is a medicine of known composition, having a complete list of ingredients in plain English on its bottle-wrapper, the same being attested as correct under oath. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets invigorate the stomach, liver and bowels. One to three a dose. Easy to take as candy.



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**Hotel Blatz Co., Prop.** JOHN J. SWEENEY, Asst. Mgr.

**MILWAUKEE, - - WIS.**

SUPPLIES STALKED IN SNOW.

Coal and Groceries for Northwest Blocked by New Storm.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 30.—The snow blockade and fuel famine in the northwest continues and relief seems about as remote as ever.

During the past 24 hours another snowstorm has swept North Dakota and Minnesota. From points along the Soo, Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads comes information about stalled trains and deserted engines and snow-plows. Hundreds of cars of coal and groceries, started westward during the past few days in the wake of the rotaries, may not now reach their destination for days or weeks.

Washington, Jan. 30.—A telegram received at the interstate commerce commission from New Rockford, N. D., says the fuel situation there is so desperate that the people will burn railroad property in less than 48 hours for fuel. The dispatch says: "The railroad on this branch is not making any effort to relieve us. Have had no freight this year. No mail for 12 days."

McKinley's Birthday Celebrated.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The anniversary of the birth of William McKinley, late president of the United States, was celebrated Tuesday night at the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal church, where Maj. McKinley worshipped while serving in congress and later when he was elevated to the presidency. A large and representative audience attended. The meeting was held under the auspices of the United States Historical society, and Harry A. Colman, president of that organization, presided.

Few Paupers in Japan.

It is estimated that there are less than 10,000 paupers in the Japanese empire, with its population of 137,000,000.

Buy it in Janesville.

208 acres in town of Rock, 140 acres under cultivation, good buildings, 15 acres good timber. Price \$65.00 per acre.

127 1/2 acres 2 miles S. W. of Footville, good buildings and very good land. Price \$65.00 per acre.

231 acres 1/2 mile from city limits, \$80.00 per acre.

125 acres south of Janesville, 70 under cultivation, about 10,000 feet walnut timber, \$75.00 per acre.

128 acres all under cultivation, fair buildings, 6 miles south of Janesville, \$60.00 per acre.

47 1/2 acres 5 miles from Janesville, good house, basement, barn, land in good state of cultivation. Price \$450.00.

83 acres 8 miles north of Janesville, \$360.00.

10 acres within city limits, barn, \$150.00.

120 acres 2 miles from Janesville, fine buildings and extra good farm, \$110.00 per acre.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

93 acre farm very good buildings, flowing well, water in barn, \$90.00 per acre.

40 acres in Clark Co., Wis., Price \$2000.00.

1 section in Taylor Co., Wis., at \$12.50 per acre.

FOR SALE.

Farm of 30 acres, 6 miles from R. R., town with 2000 population, 65 acres in cultivation, balance pasture, black sand, loam, best of land for potatoes, small grains and hay, there is a house, barn, granary and other out buildings, also 1 binder, 1 riding plow, hay rake, mower, seeder, disc harrow, pair of sleighs, wide tire wagon and other small tools, also 3 horses, 6 young cows, 3 two year old heifers, 1 three year old bull and 5 calves, all go with this farm at the rock bottom price of \$2500. This is a chance to make a good deal, look it up now. Will take small house in exchange.

7 1/2 acres 1 1/2 mile from R. R. town, house and barn, at \$70.00 per acre, would consider all place in Janesville in exchange.

5 1/2 acres in Grant Co., Wis., 1 1/2 miles from R. R., good buildings of all kinds, a 1 stock and grain farm, must be seen to be appreciated. Price only \$25.00 per acre. This is the cheapest farm in Wis. at the price. Never failing spring water, water in house and barn. Investigate.

120 acres 3 miles from Whitewater, good buildings, all good level land. Price \$85.00 per acre.

Other Property

FOR SALE.

Good 14-room house, good barn, a lot and one-half, plenty of room to build a cottage for renting; nice location in the Second ward. Property now rents for \$20.00 per month. A snap at \$2500.

2 lots with good building 50x24 two stories and 30x24 one story. Building and location A1 for factory. Price, \$1700.

In Whitewater, Wis., a 14-room brick house with barn, on fine corner lot. A fine location, near schools and churches. A snap at \$2800.

120-acre farm in town of Magnolia. Good buildings, 8 room house, barn 24x56, with good stone basement; double corn crib; all tillable land. \$75 per acre. Might consider an exchange for small place in Janesville.

Fine new 10 room modern 10-room house, hardwood floors, elegantly finished throughout; furnace, electric lights, city water and soft water, good new barn and two lots, on Oakland Ave. Price, \$2500.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

Ten room house and barn in First ward; good location, city water, soft water, gas, bath and electric lights. \$3200.

8-room house on Washington street, city water, soft water, gas and furnace. \$3400.

8-room house in First ward, \$2,200.

House and barn in First ward, newly painted and papered. \$2000.

9-room house and two lots on Highland Ave., city water and gas. \$2350.

8 or 9 room house on Cornelia St. City water, soft water and gas. \$2,250.

Good store building, living rooms above, on N. Main street, for sale or exchange. \$3500.

House and lot in second ward. \$2300.

House and barn on Carrington and Wheeler streets; city water, soft water and gas. \$2250.

House and lot in Third ward, \$1700.

Small house in Third ward, \$750.

House and lot on Glen St. \$2200.

8-room house on lot 4x6 rods, well, cistern, electric lights, \$1500. In 4th ward.

House and half lot on Holmes St. \$3200.

House and lot on Riverside St. \$1400.

12-room house on Linn street; barn and chicken house, city water, soft water, gas and electric lights, bath and closet. A dandy at \$4500.

New 6-room house and large lot, \$1300.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

All soft-drink factory at Silver Creek, Sheboygan Co., Wis. Fully equipped with up-to-date machinery; gasoline engine, 3 horses, 2 wagons, new double harness, 1 set bob sleighs, building, lower story stone, upper story frame, dwelling very nicely finished. Good barn and wagon shed. About 1 acre of ground. Considerable fruit on place. Price, \$4500.

W. J. LITTS & CO., Janesville, Wis. Rail Phone 2752.

Hawk Tried to Carry Away Dog. Joseph Wood and his stepson, Peter McLain, accompanied by a dog, went tramping along the branch in Thorpy's wood pasture, and a large hawk flew down and seized the dog's head in its claws. The dog ran 50 rods or more with its feathered assailant holding to its prey, before young McLain could overtake the fugitives and kill the hawk with a club. —Indianapolis News.

Proof of His Aristocracy. An engine driver who was recently killed on the railway by an electric train at Liverpool was known as "the gentleman driver," because he went to work every day in a clean collar and tie and a bowler hat.—Newcastle Chronicle.

Read the want ads.

## Rest the Stomach

Nothing will relieve indigestion that doesn't digest the food, itself, and give the stomach a perfect rest.

You can't reasonably expect that any weak stomach will regain its strength and get well when it is compelled to do the full work that a sound stomach should do.

You wouldn't expect a sick horse to get well when it is compelled to do a full day's work every day of the week.

Your stomach must have rest.

But it isn't necessary to starve yourself in order to rest your stomach.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a perfect digestant. It will digest all of the food you eat regardless of the condition of your stomach.

## Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

For Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour Stomach, Flatulence, Headache, Water Brash, Belching of Gas, Nausea, Gastritis, Heartburn and all troubles arising from indigestion and non-assimilation of the food.







# FINAL ROUND-UP FOR JANUARY

## Sensational Clothing Offerings at the Close of the Month

FROM the first announcement of our Clearance of Suits and Overcoats, the public has generously purchased bargains. The prompt response to our offers is gratifying and yet is not surprising.—People know Ziegler sales and have confidence in them, they know that Ziegler values are even ahead of representations. We have whittled down stock considerably considering its immense size, but there still remains plenty for disposal. To demonstrate our confidence in your keen judgment we are going to FIRE A LAST BIG SHOT IN THE JANUARY BUSINESS. Odds and Ends in Overcoats, Ulsters, Suits, etc., (every one mind you perfect in quality, style, etc.) will be laid out on separate tables in lot numbers and offered at a fraction of regular prices and in fact at a price calculated to sell them quickly.

### HOT SHOT OVERCOAT BARGAINS--READ THEM CAREFULLY

Lot 6797—Black Vicuna size 39 only, sold at \$12.00 price now	\$7.00
Lot 7279—Black Vicuna, sizes 42x44 only \$13.50 coat price now	\$7.75
Lot 9065—Seven Black Cheviots, sizes 1-39, 2-40, 1-42, 1-44, 1-46, \$10 coats, now	\$6.50
Lot 6004—Black Cheviots, sizes 2-36, 2-37, 1-38, 1-39, 1-40, \$10 coats, now	\$6.50
Lot 8223—Black Cheviots, sizes 1-34, 1-35, 1-37, 1-39, 1-40, \$10 coats, now	\$6.50
Lot 7458—Black Cheviots, sizes 1-40, 1-42, 1-44, \$10 coats, now	\$6.50
Lot 9015—Gray Cheviots, sizes 1-42, 1-44, 1-46, \$8.00 coats	\$5.50
Lot 6000—Gray Cheviots, sizes 1-34, 1-37, \$8.00 coats, now	\$5.50
Lot 7504—Brown plaid, double breasted, 1-40 Ryton coat, 52 inches long, \$25 coat, now	\$15.00
Lot 9121—Brown mixed fancy Cheviot, great coat, 52 inches long, 1-34, 1-36, \$15 coats, now go at	\$10.00
Lot 32037—Brown single breast, Herringbone Cheviot, 1-34; 1-36 coats, sold at \$18, now	\$12.00
Lot 6780—Double breast, brown, great coat, 52 inches long, 1-37, a \$22.50 coat at	\$15.00
5316—Fancy Gray single breast Ryton, sizes left 1-35, 1-36, a \$20 coat at	\$10.00



6069—Single breast, Fancy Scotch plaid, Ryton coat, 52 inches long, a \$25 coat, 1-38 at	\$15.00
8297—1-42 Single breast Belt coat, cut long, sold at \$18, now at \$12	\$12.00
6100—Fancy Scotch goods, 1-36 left, sold at \$25, now at	\$15.00
6152—Size 1-35 Fancy light Colored Cheviot Ryton a \$25 overcoat at	\$15.00
8640—Size 36 double breast, light colored Fancy Cheviot, great coat sold at \$20, now	\$14.00
6989—1-34 Gray mixed, double breast Cheviot, sold at \$25, now	\$15.00
24383—Light Gray, double breast Fancy Cheviot size 1-33, 1-34, a regular \$20 coat at	\$10
7536—Dark Brown Cheviot, double breast, style, long coat 1-35 sold at \$25 now at	\$16
7549—Brown mixed double breast Cheviot, great coat sold at \$18, 1-37 left, \$18 coat now	\$13
4112—Oxford Gray Overcoat, cut 42 inches long, 1-35, 1-36, 2-37, 1-38 sold at \$18, to close	\$7
12766—A Black Cheviot, sizes 1-40, 1-44, 42 inches long, a \$12 coat for	\$7
Have left 2 long Ulsters Overcoats will fit men using a size 36 to 38, regular \$12 coats at	\$3.90
These coats are lined with a heavy plaid worsted lining. One size 35 Patent Beaver Ulster sold at \$25 to close	\$5.95

We have left six Ulster Overcoats made from genuine Warrumbo Beaver the genuine Hart Schaffner & Marx coat, sold at \$18 to \$25, will fit small size men needing sizes 35 to 38, to close quick, go at

**\$7.75**

We offer 3 Shawl Collar Ulsters made of genuine Blue Kersey cloth, all lined throughout with black Astrachan \$25 coats and with sizes 1-36, 1-38, 1-40.—The biggest snap offered, your choice

**\$15**

We will offer during this sale all of our Men's Pea Jacket Coats, consisting of heavy frieze and astrakhan cloths, mackintosh lined, regular wind-breakers, at 33 1/3 per cent off of regular prices.

Heavy Sweaters, turtle necks; also Sweater Vests and Cardigan Jackets at 25 per cent reduction. Don't fail to look through this department.

Every article marked in plain selling prices ALWAYS. Everything just as advertised and will be offered just as priced in these columns, and with each article goes the Ziegler guarantee, which means your money back if you buy anything which is not satisfactory.

## LAST CALL ON SUITS

The odds and ends broken lots of Suits which sold up as high as \$25 have been bunched together and we give you a last chance to secure your choice of them at **\$7.00**

There are fine suits for every day wear—blacks, blues, cheviots, etc.

**This Week Ends 25 Per Cent Off On Suits and Overcoats.** We have given you a chance to pick from our fine new stock of Suits and Overcoats at 25 per cent off regular prices. After this week the offer is withdrawn. The stock consists of the very best styles in suits—cloths of worsteds, blacks, blues, Scotch goods, etc. We hold nothing back—every garment marked in plain figures.

OVERCOATS are the pick of every market—the Ziegler famous goods—every good cloth and style. The last chance this week at 25 per cent off. Don't be a regretter after it is all over; your chance is on this week at 25 per cent reduction. Every article warranted—with the Ziegler guarantee.

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E. J.  
SMITH,  
Manager

Big Sale of Children's  
Clothing Scheduled  
for February

#### Robbed Even of His Teeth.

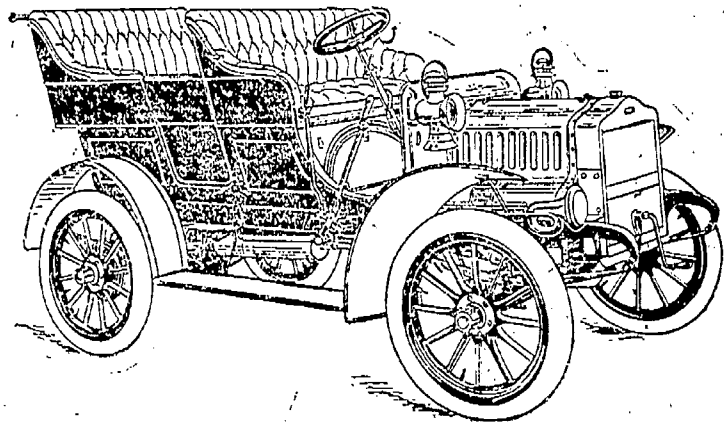
Thieves so thorough in their methods that after taking all his more valuable possession they robbed him of his false teeth are alleged by Frank R. McCloskey to have attacked him on Second street, Philadelphia, the other night. McCloskey told the police that he came home from Atlantic City drunk, but is positive that he had the missing articles when he landed in Philadelphia. He says he was robbed of \$160, a diamond ring worth \$60, a straw hat and—his false teeth.

#### Employers and Employed.

A short distance from the Courrieres mines, where so many unhappy events have recently occurred, there is an old metallurgical establishment where there has never been a strike, and where employers and employees are on the most friendly terms. Nothing ever happens to the employers—happy or unhappy—but the workmen share in it, and vice versa. This most happy union of good employers and good workmen ought to be known.—Le Figaro.

#### Remarkable Sentence.

Perhaps for concentrated inaccuracy of statement nothing can surpass the following sentence, which occurred in an account of a burglary given a short time back in a paper: "After a fruitless search all the money was recovered, except one pair of boots."



The  
**Maxwell**

There is no road too muddy, too rough, no hill too steep, no sand too deep to "please" the Maxwell. 20-horsepower double motor, no chain, it's direct drive, light, no noise and easy of access to all parts. One ride and you're a Maxwell enthusiast. All we ask is an investigation; your good sense will do the rest. Price, \$1450. Write, telephone or call.  
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Because of its convenience and other advantages. Everybody would use it if they realized its economy as well. You seldom hear of an electric light user going back to any other form of illumination. Isn't that pretty good proof of its superiority?

By using the Tantalum Lamp you can reduce your current bill about 30 per cent. Let us explain further.

**JANESVILLE ELECTRIC CO.**

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## NOW THE TIME FOR BARGAINS

RADICAL REDUCTIONS IN PRICES OF WINTER LINES.

All the cloth coats in colors and mixtures at half price and the black coats less one-third; also one-third discount on fur-lined coats. Children's coats are included at the reduced prices. Fur neck pieces and muffs; also children's fur sets at special low prices. Tailored suits at \$10; some at this price that are remarkable values. Ladies' and children's winter underwear now at cost to close.—Two lines of heavy waists reduced to 89c, to \$1.85. Many lines of millinery at half price. Flannellette night gowns for women and children. Petticoats and kimono. —in fact all lines of winter wearables at special low figures.

**Simpson**  
DRY GOODS